

MAYOR REFUSES INCREASES

Big Real Estate Deal in Central Street

31 FIRE FATALITIES IN GREATER NEW YORK IN 20 HOURS

Five in Family Perished in Brooklyn, One Dropped Dead During Fire in Bronx—Eight Inquiries Into Cause of Insane Hospital Horror in Which 22 Inmates and Three Attendants Were Burned to Death—19 Bodies Recovered—Six Still in Ruins

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Five persons died in fires early today, bringing to 31, the total of fire fatalities in Greater New York for a 20 hour period.

Mrs. Anna Webb, her daughter and the fatherless boy, six months and ten years old, perished in their Brooklyn apartment home while the children's father, who was seriously hurt, attempted to lead police to the rescue. Three policemen were badly burned.

Three year old Rosa Carmine lost her life when a blaze swept a five story tenement on the upper East side, early today.

Today's fires were the fifth and sixth of a series that started Sunday with the death of 25 at the Manhattan State hospital for the insane on Ward's Island. Another victim was a woman who dropped dead from heart disease at a fire in her Bronx home.

Called to Door Fresh Attacks AND MURDERED BY LITHUANIANS

Former Government Prohibition Agent Shot to Death at Chicago

Had Made Himself Thoroughly Feared of Chicago Runners

CLEVELAND, Feb. 19.—Carl Metta, 31, until recently a government prohibition agent, and who in his three years of federal service, had made himself thoroughly feared by local whiskey runners, was summoned to the door of his home at daylight this morning and shot to death. The assassin fired three shots, two through the head and one into the lung. Metta quit the federal service last October, rather than accept a transfer to Toledo, because his family lived here. Since that time Metta has been a deputy marshal in enforcement of prohibition for D. J. Zinner, mayor of Fairview village, a suburb, and police believe that the man who slew him was among those Metta had arrested recently in Zinner's service. The slayer escaped without leaving a clue.

EARLY MORNING FIRE IN MIDDLESEX STREET

Heavy damage to buildings and contents followed the discovery of flames shortly before 4 o'clock this morning that badly damaged two nearby stores. The all-out signal was not sounded until 5:01 o'clock, the firemen having a perplexing problem to solve with a one-story building filled with roaring flames in every nook and corner and the wood-covered ceilings and walls being ablaze and threatening to spread the fire to many other stores along Middlesex street in that immediate vicinity. The cause of the fire is not known.

The blaze practically destroyed the entire stock of the Dehney store and damaged sections of the typewriter store of Arthur A. Smith & Co., at No. 277, and the grocery store of Mrs. Annie Burke at No. 279, premises recently fitted out by the present tenants.

IRISH BISHOP ISSUES WARNING

No End, However Noble, Can Justify Murders and Destruction of Life

Those Persisting in Criminal Course Are Unworthy of Sacraments

DUBLIN, Feb. 19.—(By the Associated Press) The bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Killalee declares in his Lenten pastoral the strife in Ireland and says that no end, however noble, could justify murder, robbery and wanton destruction of life and property.

"All those persisting in this criminal course of life as well as those in any way co-operating with them by material assistance, counsel, encouragement or approval," the letter continues, "are unworthy of the sacraments and must be denied absolution while they remain impenitent in these sinful dispositions."

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Exchanges, \$54,000,000 balances; \$86,000,000.

BOSTON, Feb. 19.—Exchanges, \$37,990,000; balances, \$26,000,000.

DR. ALLEN'S
Office is truly a beauty parlor, as his dental work makes you handsome.
—SUN BUILDING
LOST
A sum of money on Nesmith St., Saturday morning. Reward if returned to Sun Office.

Mayor Will Not Make Provisions for Salary Increases Requested by Department Heads

Chief Executive Unable to See Viewpoint of Budget and Audit Commission in Using Last Year's Expenditures as Basis for Budget—Emphasizing His Feelings Relative to Salary Increases His Honor Says City Must Retrench This Year—Matter Will Go to Council if Special Salary Committee Recommends Increases

In a statement given out today relative to his work on compiling a budget and audit commission in taking the total expenditures of last year as a basis for this year's budget and practically allowing to departments the amount spent by them in 1922. It seems a little illogical that the extravagances of last year should be made the basis of expenditures for 1923.

"I will positively make no provisions for increases of salaries for department heads this year. Whatever merit there may be to the individual requests this is not the time to allow them and in justice to the pocketbook of the taxpayer, it cannot be done. The city of Lowell is, at present, like the man who, after a year of extravagant living, suddenly wakes up to find himself broke. If he is 'game' he immediately pulls himself together and retrenches. Someone must be 'game' enough to make the city of Lowell retrench this year after the wild extravagance of 1922 and I realize much of the responsibility rests with me.

"No, sir, there will be no increase of salaries for department heads this year. If I can prevent it," emphatically declared the mayor in conclusion.

Many 'ifs' must enter into any discussion of the salary question as it stands today. If the special committee on salaries, composed of Councilors George Christen and Morley, present recommendations for increases to the council tomorrow night and these recommendations are accepted, salaries for the year necessarily must be established by ordinance. Once an ordinance, order, resolution or vote is passed by the council, it must go to the mayor for approval. If he believes in it, he will sign it. If not, he will return it to the council unsigned, accompanied by his reasons in writing. The council then, if it wishes, may pass the ordinance over this veto by a two-thirds vote of all its members, which in the present case, would mean 10 favorable votes. If a two-thirds vote cannot be mustered, the ordinance stands vetoed. If, on the other hand, an ordinance sent to the mayor by the council is not returned signed or unsigned by the mayor within 10 days, such ordinance automatically is in force. All these facts are among the provisions, contained in Section 55.

With the mayor standing firmly upon his announced intention to provide for no salary increases, the matter now is up to the council for decision, provided, of course, that the special salary committee recommends increases for some departmental heads.

MORE FRENCH TROOPS CALLED

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—The French embassy was advised by its government today that three more infantry regiments had been placed at the disposal of General De Gontle, commander of the French army of occupation in the Ruhr because of "the resistance" ordered by German officials and numerous attempts at sabotage.

NOTICE Royal Arcanum

Members having tickets on the Ford Sedan will please make returns before 10 p. m., Wednesday, Feb. 21. The Automobile is to be given away on Washington's Birthday as stated, and members must not expect a postponement. Make checks payable to Neil A. Clarke, 87 Bellevue street.

COMMITTEE.

Safe Conservative Mutual WASHINGTON SAVINGS INSTITUTION 30 MIDDLESEX ST.

LOWELL PARTIES BUY FISKE BLOCK IN CENTRAL STREET—ASSESSED VALUATION \$123,650

The Fiske property at the corner of Jackson and Central streets, numbered 217-227 Central and 28 Jackson, and carrying a total assessed valuation of \$123,650, has been purchased by Andrew D. Roach and Mrs. Margaret J. Fitzgerald from Edward J. Robbins and Herbert E. Ellis. The money involved in the transfer has not been made known but the sale is one of the largest and most important, embracing well known downtown property, that has transpired for some time.

The Central street building, five stories in height, with stores on the ground floor and offices and halls above, is assessed for \$40,300, with \$88,400 being the land assessment. The part of the property situated in Jackson street, carries a building assessment of \$5500 and a land assessment of \$8450.

The new owners have purchased for the purpose of investment and have no definite plans of renovation in mind at present.

SAYS LAWYERS BUY AND SELL INFLUENCE OF CONGRESSMEN WITHOUT THEIR KNOWLEDGE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Charges that a clique of lawyers in New York city buy and sell the influence of senators and representatives without their knowledge was made today before the house rules committee by Chairman Johnson of the house immigration committee.

LOCAL COAL SITUATION BURNS WILL SPEAK HERE

Fuel Administrator Will Trace Loaded Coal Cars on Way to Lowell

The chamber officials had a conference with Fuel Administrator Albert D. Milliken this morning that may have good possibilities in working toward some relief in the critical coal situation. Mr. Wells desired, he informed Mr. Milliken, every possible aid from other sources of information including the fuel administrator's executive branch handling the coal-distribution problem, and was assured that if Mr. Milliken could ascertain where coal shipments were being sidetracked or neglected in transit by the railroad, that he would promptly notify the chamber officials. In the meantime, Mr. Milliken is endeavoring to find out how many cars are already billed for Lowell coal dealers and where they are at the present time. He will report any results he may secure to the chamber of commerce.

Secretary Manager Wells said this noon that the chamber organization has been at work for some time endeavoring, through the chamber traffic department to locate and follow up coal shipments bound for Lowell and vicinity. With the active co-operation of the local dealers, who may have definite news of coal shipments, point of origin and how routed, Mr. Wells feels that better deliveries of anthracite coal may be made to Lowell distributors.

WHAT CAN WE DO FOR YOU?

We pride ourselves in our attitude toward our customers. We want to render them every assistance possible, and in the matter of supplying them funds for the expansion of their business, every consideration is given.

We have a savings Department where interest begins the first day of each month.

We have a Safe Deposit Department complete in every detail.

We issue Foreign Exchange available in all parts of the world.

Again, we urge you to start a Savings Account.

Old Lowell National Bank
Oldest Bank in Lowell

WARMER WEATHER IS ON THE WAY
The cold snap had its last fling last night, sending the mercury down to the zero margin, but breaking no more records. This morning the glasses registered 10 above at 8 a. m., and at noon the registration was over 20. The chill left the air during the morning hours, with the sun aiding in warming things up.

The experts predict warmer weather for the afternoon and evening and warmer also tomorrow, when it may be cloudy with moderate northwest winds shifting to southwest later in the day.

Slowly rising temperatures were the rule all over New England and the entire eastern section of the country, this morning. Predictions are for fair weather and milder temperatures until at least Thursday.

DYING WOMAN'S APPEAL

George Gray, Your Dear Old Mother is Calling for You

Postmaster Delisle today received a very pathetic letter from a Mrs. Mary Gray of 369 St. Paul street, Burlington, Vermont, requesting his assistance in locating her son, George, who she believes, is now residing in Lowell. The letter, written in a shaky hand, states that the mother is dying and wishes to see her son once more. She writes as follows:

Dear Mr. Postmaster: Do you know a man by the name of George J. Gray? He used to drive a team when Mrs. Gray was alive. She used to tell about him when she came out here to get her rent. I don't know but she spells Gray in my son and I am dying and I want to see him once more. Please send him to me and oblige.

MRS. MARY GRAY,
369 St. Paul Street,
Burlington, Vt.

The postmaster will appreciate any information leading to the whereabouts of the son.

LOWELL MAN ARRESTED IN MONTREAL

Superintendent Thomas R. Atkinson of the police department today received a telegram from Inspector John J. Walsh from Montreal stating that he had placed under arrest Ernest J. Dupont, prominent Lowell clubman and fire insurance broker, who is charged with the larceny of \$4000 on the complaint of Joseph Cayouette of this city.

Mr. Dupont is well known in Lowell as the treasurer of the Kanbeck Fire Extinguisher Co. On Monday evening, Feb. 5, he disappeared from his home in Moody street without giving any information as to his destination. It is alleged that when he left Lowell, he had in his possession \$4000, the proceeds of the sale of the Kanbeck Co. to Dr. Laroche of Springfield. He was eventually traced to Montreal and Inspector Walsh went to that city armed with a warrant. He located his man yesterday and will, in all probability, bring him to Lowell.

Nations in Tilt Over Tut's Tomb; United States May Share in Treasure



REMOVING \$15,000,000 IN TREASURE FROM TUTANKHAMEN'S TOMB, EGYPTIANS ARE SEEN ABOVE BEARING TRAYS FROM THE TOMB CONTAINING MANY OF THE SMALLER OBJECTS FOUND. EGYPTIAN THROOPS WITH RIFLES ARE SEEN ON GUARD. LEFT INSET SHOWS HOWARD CARTER, ONE OF THE DISCOVERERS (RIGHT) AND DR. MORTON HOWELL, AMERICAN MINISTER TO EGYPT (LEFT). IN RIGHT INSET IS CARTER'S OFFICIAL STUED AND HIS MUKARI OR "DONKEY-CHAUF-PEUR."

By N.E.A. Service
LUXOR, Egypt, Feb. 19.—An international tilt which will involve at least three powers is expected to take place before any decision can be reached as to the disposition of the \$15,000,000 in ancient treasure just brought to light through the opening of the tomb of King Tutankhamen here.

Before excavation was started several months ago, Lord Carnarvon, an

eminent British archeologist, secured a concession from the newly established Egyptian government.

Carnarvon, it seems, agreed that any tomb which contained a royal mummy and which had not previously been entered by robbers should remain the property of the Egyptian government.

Then Carnarvon and Howard Carter, an American who has spent 33

years in Egyptian research, unearthed the vast treasure, buried more than 3000 years in the midst of poverty and squalor.

Egypt Claims It
This treasure, buried in the tomb of Tutankhamen, comes under that classification and the Egyptian government already has laid claim to it.

But pressure may be brought to bear by the British government to cause



ONE OF TUT'S TREASURE BOXES

King Tutankhamen's "wardrobe trunk" being removed from his tomb. It contained valuable fabrics and bore the king's and queen's names in hieroglyphs.

Egyptian officials to modify their stand. In that case, some of Tutankhamen's treasures may find their way into American museums.

American claim is based on the contention that the treasures of ancient Egypt belong to the world and that America, as one of the leading nations of the present world, is entitled to share in them.

What Treasures Are
Some of the treasures over which the dispute is waged are:

Carved heads of animals with eyes of jewels.

Carved couches inlaid with ivory and semi-precious stones.

Chests of ebony and ivory with gilt

inscriptions, containing Tutankhamen's state throne, encrusted with jewels.

A heavy chair thickly set with turquoise, cornelian inlay and other stones.

Two life-sized statues of the king with gold work.

Four chariots encrusted with semi-precious stones.

Richly embroidered clothing of the king and queen.

The find could be sold for more than a dozen millions on the basis of its actual value alone but its scientific and archaeological worth makes it absolutely priceless.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

"THE LOWELL FOLLIES"
The Lowell Follies will be front-lined at the D. F. Keith theatre during the present week and will, without doubt, prove an uncommonly strong drawing card.

The musical revue, with a cast of 15 Lowell girls and several Broadway principals, will entertain at the close of the regular bill in songs and dancing and comedy. The revue is of such a type that it has hung up a new record for attendance at the Keith theatre in Portland, Me., during the last week. All previous records were eclipsed.

Tom Linton has done an exceptionally good job in shaping up the girls who are to appear in the different number-rehearsals. That fact, that fact, clearly enough, many of them, to be sure, have had experience in amateur theatricals in the past, but they have just been put through a course of sprouts in professional work which will stand them in mighty good stead if they ever decide to take up the stage. It is barely possible that several of them will go so.

The girls who will appear in the "Follies" are the following named: Cecile Dube, Gladys Rawson, Mildred Aldridge, Bertha Beauville Della Stevens, Mabel Perry, Lydia Benneberg, Margaret Esposito, Glenn Walker, Helen Olson, Louise Mills, Gladys Shay, Alice Finnegan, Sadie Finnegan, Leola Gardner, Tillie Brown, Lillian Prescott, Peggy O'Reilly, Ella Cullinane, Agnes Mellen, Bertha Choquette, Grace Slatery, Billy Burbeck, Anna Wood and Estelle Battle.

"The Follies" is not the only feature of the bill. Five specially good acts have been secured for the week, and among them are Arthur F. Hawthorne and Johnny Cooke in "Make Me So Proud," a wonderfully funny turn. As a matter of fact, these two men mean not exactly what their billing states.

They are off-hand drollsters, and will confuse up many very funny lines. Jim McLaughlin and Blanche Evans in "On a Little Side Street" are capable performers, who lean towards the "Post" of New York for their types. The singing and dancing are all done in the melodies which have made the "Heat Side" famous.

Betty Bonn, known as the "girl with the velvet voice," will add not a little to the bill. She is as sweet in appearance as her voice is in its quality, and her song numbers are rated as among the very best of the most recent vintage.

Two girls who combine romance with music are Lily Kovacs and Miss Goldner. The former was a girl in Louvain, Belgium, when the Germans first struck the city. She is a specially fine violinist. Miss Goldner is a pianist of fine training.

Alanson, the juggler, is a comedy performer, who will amuse with his unusual feats.

On Thursday (Washington's birthday) three performances will be given.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE
"The Enchanting Widow" in the person of Tommie Martelle, has arrived in town, and assisted by the entire strength of the Lullinger players and also by "her" own beauty chorus will hold forth at the Opera House throughout the week. Of course everyone interested in theatricals hereabouts knows by this time that Martelle is the best female impersonator on the stage, and the production of this big musical comedy success with such an excellent company should prove the biggest week of the season for this popular theatre.

Not only will Tommie Martelle appearing in the title role create a wonderful impression, but all the popular members of the Lullinger players, including Mary Ann Dentler, Arthur DeFord, Richard Morgan, Marguerite Slavin, Helen Russell, Malcolm McLeod, Fred Harvey, Billy Hall and others will each have spe-

cialties during the progress of the performance. The staging of the play will be most elaborate, and the scenic director, H. H. Fish, has provided some beautiful settings. The costumes are varied, and Martelle's creations alone will be worth a trip to the theatre.

As a special added attraction, the management has engaged Pauline Nixon, a youthful and graceful dancer to add to the attractiveness of the production. Miss Nixon is a most clever dancer and has just been engaged by Sam H. Harris, the New York manager, for the big review in which he is to star the famous Duncan sisters. Miss Nixon will appear several times during the show. The six girls who come to Lowell with Martelle are each separate types and will add a good deal to the production.

Since the advance sale has been very large, and the performances are practically certain to be sold out the last of the week, reservations should be made as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

with a love of racing. The scenes are in Argentina. Miss Swanson wears many costly and elaborate gowns. The other feature for the first part of the week is "Making a Man," another Paramount production, starring popular Jack Holt.

THE STRAND
A three-feature picture program, headed by the big Gansler production, "The Hero," which opens at The Strand today, gives every promise of meeting every want of the motion picture patron. The second offering presents John Gilbert in "The Love Gambler," and as a third attraction of merit, Al St. John, in one of his best comedies, will contribute materially to the success that is sure to be scored. In "The Hero" Gaston Glass and an all-star cast is engaged in its presentation. Attention is again directed to the exceptional Strand accommodations and high-grade of entertainment furnished.

Fat That Shows Soon Disappears
Prominent fat that comes and stays when it is not needed is a burden, a hindrance to activity, a curb upon pleasure. You can take off the fat where it shows by taking after each meal and at bedtime, "Marmola Prescription Tablet." These little tablets are an effective and harmless as the famous prescription from which they take their name. Buy and try a case today. All druggists, the world over, sell them at one dollar for a case, you order them direct from the Marmola Co., 1612 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. You can thus say good-bye to dieting, exercise and fat.—Adv.

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Quality considered, our prices are the lowest.

Our Wholesale Sample Book will soon be ready.

We solicit business from Stores, Paper Hangers, Builders and Real Estate Dealers.

Why buy out of Lowell when the best line is here?

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Crochet Cottons and Embroidery Floss

D. M. C. Crochet Cotton—White; size 3 to 100 25¢ ball

D. M. C. Crochet Cotton—Fern; size 3 to 30, 25¢ ball

D. M. C. Emb. Cotton—Long skein; size 8 to 25 12¢ skein

D. M. C. Emb. Floss—6 strand 25¢ ball

D. M. C. Tatting Cotton—All colors, 10¢ ball

O. N. T. Crochet Cotton—Size 3 to 50, extra, 10¢ ball

O. N. T. Crochet Cotton—White; size 3 to 100 10¢ ball

O. N. T. Emb. Floss—Long skein; size 8 to 25 8¢ skein



Silkine Pearl Cotton—Size 3 and 5. Large balls 25¢ ball

Silkine Emb. Floss—6 strand 5¢ skein

Persiana Emb. Cotton 10¢ ball

Silkateen Crochet Cotton 10¢ ball

Silkine Pearl Cotton—Size 3 and 5. Small balls, 12¢ ball

Glossilla Rope Silk 5¢ skein

Belding's Emb. Silk 5¢ skein

BASEMENT
SECTION

Housewares Shop

FOOT OF MAIN
STAIRWAY

Sale of Universal Aluminum Tea Kettles

Owing to the extreme cold weather of the past week we will continue this sale all this week.

An unusual opportunity to secure a high grade tea kettle at very low price.

4 qt. size. Reg. \$3.98. Sale price \$2.75
5 qt. size. Reg. \$4.35. Sale price \$2.98
6½ qt. size. Reg. \$4.75. Sale price \$3.25
7½ qt. size. Reg. \$5.25. Sale price \$3.59



Demonstration Sale

SQUEEZ-EZY MOPS

A new mop that saves your hands, your back, your time, your money. The SQUEEZ-EZY MOP is the best because it eliminates the necessity for wringing by hand and other expensive apparatus. It is absolutely simple because your hands do not come in contact with the dirty, soapy water filled with harmful chemicals from the cleaning materials.

COME IN and let our demonstrator show you how easy it is to eliminate that scrub day ache. Demonstration Sale Price, Each \$1.59

SECOND FLOOR
ANNEX

The Bon Marche
DRY GOODS CO.

SECOND FLOOR
ANNEX

FINAL CLEARANCE SALE

OF

Millinery

We must make room for New Spring Creations which are arriving almost daily.

HATS AND SCARFS

All sizes. Scarfs can be worn separate. Scarfs alone are worth the price. Gray with combination check, brown with combination check and solid colors in brown, sand, blue, coral and gray. Regular \$7.50 to \$10.00 values.

Sale Price \$4.50

Velvet Hats

All of our velvet hats. Every winter hat must go. Values \$5.00 to \$15.00.

Sale Price \$1.00

Snappy Satin Hats

Very stylish, mostly blacks, one of a kind, embroidered effects, some feather trimmed; \$7.50 to \$15.00 values.

Sale Price \$4.85

Children's Felt Hats

and a few beaver and sport hats; \$3.95 values and a few \$5.00 ones.

Sale Price 25c

Woolen Tams and Scarfs

Good wide, double scarfs, all perfect goods, very good values, blue, brown and red; \$3.95 values.

Sale Price \$1.98

Velvet Tam O' Shanters

and a few odd hats for children.

Sale Price 10c to Close



CANADA SELLS OUR COAL

Congressman Rogers Gives Result of Personal Investigation

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Congressman John Jacob Rogers, who has just returned from a brief visit to New England and New York, where he examined the present situation with reference to the supply of anthracite, today made the following statement:

"A personal investigation which I have made of the anthracite shortage in New England reveals that conditions

are worse today than at any time during the winter. In my own city of Lowell and in many other communities all over New England there is not a ton of anthracite available to consumers. When by accident a few pounds of coal are obtainable the price charged puts the commodity beyond the reach of those most sorely in need. Actual physical suffering, as well as extreme financial distress, is the necessary consequence. Probably the severity of the winter for two reasons contributes to the disaster—first, because the transit of freight cars laden with coal is much hampered and the distribution locally is hampered and, second, because the inclemency of the weather naturally makes the need of an abundant supply more extreme. I am told that Massachusetts has received its full 80 per cent. quota of normal and that in this respect it is somewhat better off than

certain neighboring states. I mention this because it indicates that the crisis in Massachusetts is not confined to that state but is general among all states which depend for their supply upon the Pennsylvania anthracite mines.

"While these conditions are admittedly existent in New England, New York, and elsewhere we are forced to witness the spectacle of unusually heavy anthracite tonnage moving from Pennsylvania through the strike states and across the line to Canada. As I have heretofore pointed out, the supply of American anthracite which went to Canada during the three months ended Jan. 1 was 30 per cent. in excess of the quantity which was exported to Canada during the same months a year ago when there had been no strike and when coal production and distribution were normal. The American people cannot understand such a national policy as is herein reflected. It is for this reason that legislators of Massachusetts and Rhode Island have petitioned congress to take favorable action upon my pending bill declaring an immediate embargo on all exports of anthracite. Our people are told that Canadian coal dealers are freely advertising an abundant supply of American anthracite; they are obviously informed by Charles A. Magrath, the highest Canadian fuel authority, that the control price in Canada is now \$18.50 to \$17.50; they contrast this with their own necessity of paying, when they can buy it at all \$18 or \$20 a ton and even up to \$20 a ton.

SORE LUNGS

A cold on the lungs is a forerunner of pneumonia, and if neglected may lead to consumption. Such a cold is like a smoldering fire in the cellar; either may burst into flame at any time and consume the body or the house.

If you have a cold on the lungs, if the lungs are sore or congested, if you have a cough which has resisted all previous remedies.

ALLEN'S LUNG HEALER

Is the one reliable remedy that will reach the trouble and restore you to health. You will be surprised and delighted to see how quickly it relieves the soreness and pressure and loosens the cough. Contains no opiates or narcotics.

MONEY BACK IF NOT SATISFIED

Sold in Lowell by A. W. Dows & Co., L. R. Brunelle, Sam McCord, H. R. Campbell, Lowell Pharmacy, J. J. Brown, Wm. H. Noonan, T. C. Walker, Fred Howard, F. H. Butler.

BALTIMORE WOMAN'S MESSAGE TO MOTHERS

At 520 W. Hayward avenue, lives Mrs. Henry Johnson, who a few weeks ago wrote what may be termed a good message to all mothers. She said: "I have used Dr. Truett's Elixir for more than ten years and know it is good." She used Dr. Truett's Elixir to rid her children of worms. There is hardly a child but what needs Dr. Truett's Elixir, for they all usually have worms when growing up. Mrs. Johnson appreciates what Dr. Truett's Elixir accomplishes. Your children will be in better health through its use.

Symptoms to watch: Constipation, offensive breath, slow fever, biliousness, pains in stomach, red points on tongue, swollen upper lip, starting during sleep, with troublesome dreams. 40c—60c—\$1.20.—Adv.

Rub on Sore Throat

Musterole relieves sore throat quickly. Made with oil of mustard, it is a clean white ointment that will not burn or blister like the old-fashioned mustard plaster.

Just spread it on with your fingers. Gently but surely it penetrates to the sore spot and draws out the pain. Get Musterole at your drug store today. 35c and 65c in jars and tubes; hospital size, \$3.—Adv.

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Radiographs

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6.00-11.00—KYW (Chicago, Ill.)	400 Meters
6.15-10.00—KDKA (Pittsburgh, Penn.)	360 Meters
6.16-8.00—WOR (Newark, N. J.)	400 Meters
7.30-9.30—WBZ (Springfield, Mass.)	400 Meters
7.30-10.30—WOO (Philadelphia, Penn.)	400 Meters
7.45-9.30—WGY (Schenectady, N. Y.)	400 Meters
8.00-9.00—WSB (Atlanta, Ga.)	400 Meters
8.00-9.00—WWJ (Detroit, Mich.)	400 Meters
8.30-9.30—WOC (Davenport, Ia.)	400 Meters
9.30-11.30—WHAZ (Troy, N. Y.)	400 Meters
11.45-1 A. M.—WSB (Atlanta, Ga.)	400 Meters

RADIO THEORY APPLIED TO ENGINEERING

The principle that permits the radio fan to hear concerts from afar, without the use of connecting wires, is being adopted to mechanical engineering, so that a great deal of waste energy is being reclaimed.

This is the principle of oscillation. When a radio listener tunes in on a transmitting station, he sets his instrument to the same wave length as that of the station he wants to hear. When these wave lengths coincide, the sound oscillations on the transmitted wave length are taken up by the receiving apparatus.

It is the same method by which one tuning fork takes up the pitch, or sound, set up on another tuning fork of the same size and construction.

Mechanical Engineering

In mechanical engineering, this principle of oscillations is being applied so as to take up lost energy on especially on engines and other apparatus whose motion changes back and forth. Each change is opposed by the resistance of any reciprocating engine—that is, one whose direction of motion changes regularly.

—Made part of an oscillatory system, so that instead of using its own power to overcome its inertia, each change of motion, it is aided to a considerable degree by the oscillations of an apparatus designed by Schusterstein.

Serves as Booster

By oscillating at the same rate at which the engine moves, this apparatus serves as a booster, to overcome the power lost in combating the inertia of the engine.

A year's test of this principle with a harvesting machine showed an average of only 55 power units were spent as against an average of between 105 and 155 units without the aid of the oscillator.

This same theory is applied to flocks of birds, says the discoverer. They fly in unison, even though some of the birds are stronger than others in the flock, because the movement of their wings is alike. Thus, all are mutually tuned to the same oscillation, so that the stronger birds can transmit some of their oscillatory power to the weaker.

WARM SCHOOL HOUSES FAIL TO ATTRACT

After being kept open Saturday afternoon and evening until 10 o'clock and yesterday forenoon by order of Mayor John J. Donovan, the 21 public school buildings that offered heat and shelter to refugees from the cold, were closed because of lack of patronage. The Memorial Auditorium remained open until after a specially prepared entertainment program last evening, but

Radio Broadcasts

STATION WGI, MEDFORD HILLSIDE 5 p. m.—"Children's Hour"—Stories and adventure stories read to music.

5.30 p. m.—Closing report on farm-corn produce and livestock markets; butter and eggs reports (45 meters).

8 p. m.—Late news and sports.

8.15 p. m.—Code practice.

8.30 p. m.—Boston police reports.

8.45 p. m.—What "Washington Means to the Youth of America," W. M. Downey, headmaster of the English high school of Boston.

STATION WNAC, BOSTON 4 p. m.—Dance music by the Shepard Colonna orchestra. Selections on the phonograph and player-piano.

WNAC remains silent Monday evening.

STATION WFAB, NEW YORK

7.45 p. m.—"Little Princess Dainty-foot" a talk.

7.45 p. m.—Soprano solos by Isabel Thorpe, mezzo soprano, accompanied by Augusta R. Anderson. Program: "Santuzza's Aria," from "Cavaleria Rusticana" (Mascagni); "My Lover's Name on the Ship" (Leighton); "A Little Song" (Voorhees).

8 p. m.—"What the Modern Industrial Executive Has to Know," by Mr. Nicholas Thell picker.

8.10 p. m.—Violin solos by Adolph Schmidt, accompanied by Augusta R. Anderson. Program: "Minuet" (Beethoven); "Morceau" (Schmidt); "Liebesfreud" (Kreisler).

STATION WHAZ, TROY

8.15 p. m.—Program: March "The Record," Engelmann; Fantasia, "Provatore," Verdi-Tavani; Troy High School orchestra; Richard P. Law, director. Program: "Nellie Gray," variations Art. Paris Chamber; Victor W. Gilbert, accompanist; Verona W. Gilbert. Address: "Engineering and Insect Control," E. P. Felt, state entomologist; first two movements, "Surprise Symphony," Haydn (Vivace Assai and Andante); Troy High School orchestra; solo, "Grande Song," Hauken; Gordon Lessels; Pauline "Carmen," Rigel-Tavani; march, "Beau Ideal Vieux," Schrammel; Troy High School orchestra; Richard P. Law, director.

SOUTH ENDS PLAN MINSTREL SHOW

The popular South End Social and Athletic club is planning to stage a minstrel show and several other entertainments in the near future. A meeting of the club was held yesterday to discuss plans for social events of this kind. The minstrel will rehearse Tuesday evening under the direction of a show producer from New York city. The entertainment committee will meet this evening at the club rooms.

"Irish Night" will be observed during the week of March 17 and a splendid program will be provided for members and friends.

only a handful of men and women were present to enjoy it.

It was the mayor's idea that these public buildings, warm and comfortable, would give hundreds of people an opportunity to escape the intense winter grip of that has held the city in a grip of ice for the past three or four days, but although plans might have been sound, the result was nil.

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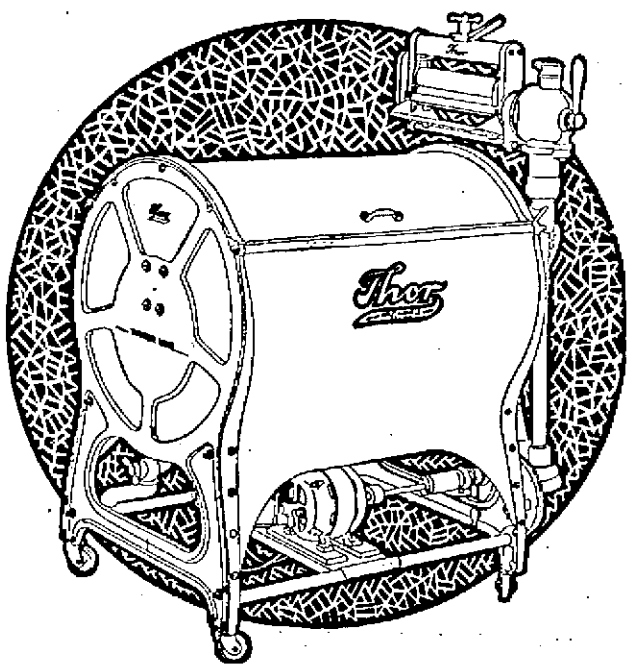
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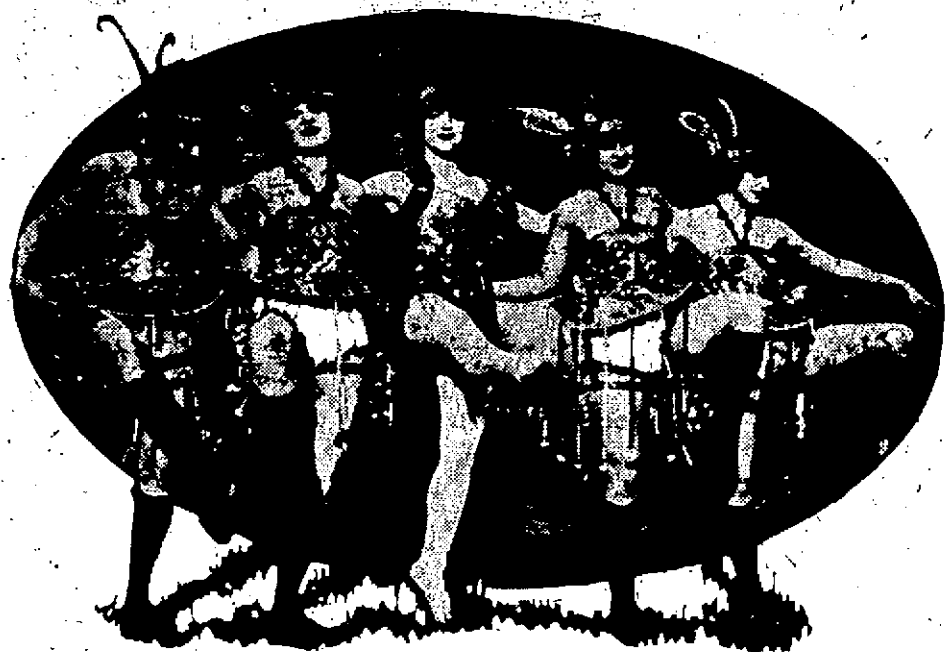
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GENTLEMEN'S NIGHT AT GIRLS' CITY CLUB

The Girls' City club held their first "gentlemen's night" at the club rooms last Saturday night, and a large audience was present to enjoy the entertainment.

Miss Mabel Hogan and Miss Anna-belle Maughn, entertained with a number of popular songs and fancy dancing steps. A humorous recitation by Miss Violet Hickson and a song by William Hinchley were well received. Several recitations by Miss Doris Conley were given and she received hearty applause for her splendid entertainment. Paul Angelo, accompanied the various entertainers.

A social hour was then in order and following this a luncheon was served, closing the evening's entertainment in a most pleasing way.

The committee in charge of the entertainment was as follows:

Misses Nellie Thomas, Eva LeBlanc, Evelyn Trombly, Miss Rooney, Mary Martin, Margaret Castles, Alice Lowrey, Mary McCarthy and Elmore LeBlanc.

The nominating committee of the club met yesterday and the following list of candidates was presented for the annual election to be held March 1st.

President, Mary Martin, Anna O'Leary and Cathryn O'Neil.

Vice president, Mary McCarthy, Alice O'Brien and Margaret Price.

Treasurer, Elmore LeBlanc, Katherine Sullivan and Isabel Sullivan.

Corresponding secretary, Gertrude Corkery, Helen Latour and Margaret Rooney.

Financial secretary, Alice Butler, Frieda Kenney and Marie Lussier.

Y. M. C. I. HOLDS WELL ATTENDED MEETING

A well attended meeting of the members of the Y.M.C.I. was held in the club rooms in Stackpole street yesterday afternoon. Treasurer Lyons read an interesting report of the recent carnival of colors conducted in the Auditorium under Y.M.C.I. auspices. The event was socially and financially successful and the institute wishes to thank all those who contributed. The membership, building and tournament committees all reported progress. Martin O'Connell is leading the bowlers in the contest for high honors with a three-string total of 335. Preparations are being made by Brothers McGarry and Doyle for an Irish night on March 1st.

FIRE ALARMS

The alarm from box 8 Saturday evening at 9:21 o'clock was for a blaze in a bed at 141 East Merrimack street. The damage was slight. At 10:02 o'clock yesterday morning a telephone alarm was sent in for a chimney fire at 150 Andover street. At 6:03 o'clock last evening a false alarm was sounded from box 523, which is temporarily replacing box 415, which is out for repairs, and at 8:40 o'clock the firemen were given another distress call from 141 Liberty street, where they were summoned by an alarm from box 41. In this case a passerby saw a reflection in a window of the house and rounded the alarm. It was found that the reflection was caused by a blaze in the stove.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

"Jean Valjean," principal character in Victor Hugo's "Les Misérables," will be the topic of a lecture given this evening at the First Congregational church by the pastor, Rev. Percy B. Thomas. The public is invited and the proceeds of the evening will be devoted to the scholarship fund. An organ recital will be given in the early part of the evening.

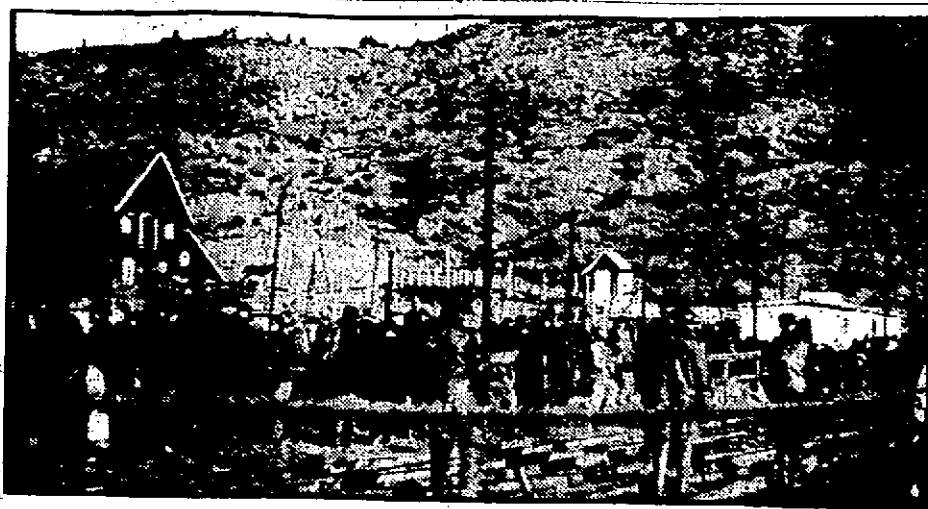
PRESENTED PURSE OF GOLD

Leo Kelley, who for a number of years has been employed as a clerk in the stores department of the B. & M. carshops in Billerica, and who has covered his connections with the railroad to accept a position in this city, was yesterday awarded a purse of gold as a token of esteem.

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WHEN NEW MEXICO MINE BLAST KILLED 120

When mine blast took 120 lives. Picture shows relatives of the missing men thronging anxiously around the mouth of pit at Phelps-Dodge Mine No. 1, Dawson, N. Mex., waiting for bodies of victims to be carried out.



CHARGES BRIBE

Declaring she was offered a \$25,000 bribe to go to Washington as lobbyist for a "certain bill," Mrs. T. G. Winter, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, has stated she will produce a letter offering the bribe "when it becomes necessary."

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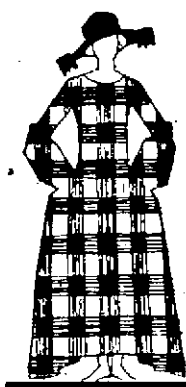
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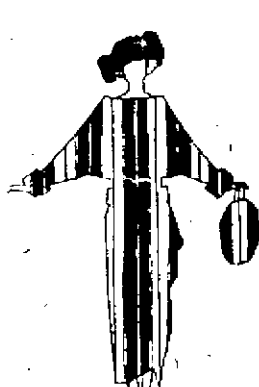


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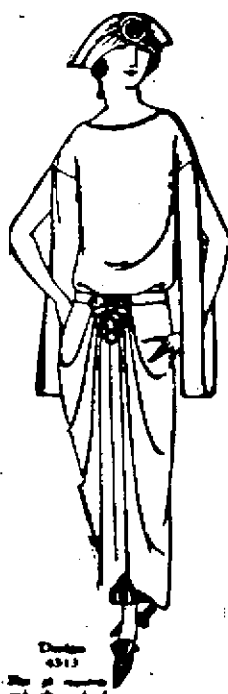
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THE COAL SITUATION

For the people of the northern states of the nation there remain some eight or ten weeks of cold weather during which the shortage of fuel, extortionable prices, and dishonest substitution of mine dross and slate for real coal, will continue. For the last three months the people of these states have suffered more discomfort from the shortage of fuel than they had done probably at any time in the past twenty years. It is not strange that they are now playing for the return of spring to bring relief from conditions that have become steadily oppressive to thousands of families.

All this is the result of the manner in which President Harding and the republican congress bungled the coal strike last summer. We know not but that the worst is yet to come. A mild epidemic of influenza and numberless cases of pneumonia are reported throughout the northern states; and while the people are thus victimized, President Harding's "fact finding commission" has been idly at work and is reported to have discovered the consoling truth that "fuel is high-priced and even scarce because there are too many mines and too many miners."

Thus far, we have heard nothing of the contract between the Pennsylvania coal commission and the Canadian government providing that Canada shall get 50 per cent of the total anthracite production in Pennsylvania mines. Thus far, too, it appears that contract is being assiduously carried out by the contracting party and the railroad on this side of the border, despite the efforts of Congressman Rogers to have an embargo placed upon the export of coal. Senator Walsh, as early as last summer, made eloquent appeals for action that would prevent the shortage from which the country is suffering at the present time; but he was in the minority and his appeal went unheeded to a great extent.

Another instance in which the government failed to protect the people was shown in its failure to do anything to overcome the strike of the railroad shopworkers which has left the rolling-stock of the roads on which the strike is as yet unsettled, in a very precarious, if not a generally unfit, condition. The Boston and Maine is one of these roads and it is largely responsible for freight blockades and delayed deliveries in New England. The question arises as to what the government will do on these matters, and the inevitable answer will be, nothing that will come in time to relieve the present situation.

Lowell, we presume, is not hit any harder than other New England cities by the coal shortage; but the number of people suffering is sufficiently numerous to cause the city council to take immediate steps to have the city purchase coal and sell it at cost to those who are in want. In addition, Mayor Donovan has ordered the public school buildings and the Memorial Auditorium to be opened for the accommodation of those who have been suffering from lack of fuel while this cold weather remains. These are extreme steps; but so far as appears, they have been warranted by existing conditions; and it is to be hoped that a change to milder weather will soon bring welcome relief.

Out of this coal situation there comes a serious reflection upon the republican administration at Washington, because of its lack of tact and foresight, together with its failure to take any practical step that would prevent the mine operators and other profiteers from fleecing the people by exorbitant prices or any action insisting upon railroad service that would insure the delivery of coal where it is most needed. Today while long trains loaded with coal are passing through New York and New England to Canada, thousands of people in these states are unable to obtain coal from any source. Is it any wonder that the government is being denounced for mismanagement and failure to protect the people against a shortage of one of the necessities of life?

SACO-LOWELL PETITION

The Saco-Lowell Building proposition is one of extreme importance in whatever light it be considered. It is but right that the matter of closing Worthen street to allow an expansion of the company's plant should be discussed in all its bearings.

The effect upon property in the vicinity if the street were closed and the possible claims for damages, the effect upon general traffic and the obstruction in fighting fires, are all matters that must be carefully considered in connection with the entire scheme.

There is a question as to how far the company would assume responsibility for claims arising from the closing of the street and this, too, will naturally influence the city council in its action. It is very desirable, of course, that a great industry be offered facilities for expansion; but other interests must also be considered, particularly damage claims, and congestion affecting traffic and fire protection. Would it not be possible for the company to bridge over the part of Worthen street which it wants closed so that the passage through would not be blocked? That might offer an acceptable compromise. Surely there is a solution of this problem by which the petition can be granted and at the same time the general interests of the city duly conserved. That is the solution that the city council must try to find.

WHO WILL DECIDE?

Senator Lenroot in speaking before the New York University Law school alumni undertook to declare that the constitution is sufficiently elastic to

permit of an interpretation of the 18th amendment much more liberal than the Volstead law. He holds that a fair interpretation of the amendment under the constitution would permit beverages between 2 and 3 per cent, but he states that to go beyond that or to permit the manufacture or sale of light wines would clearly violate the constitution. This matter in some form may be brought before the supreme court of the United States for decision, but as it is not a question of law, that court may not assume the responsibility of determining the alcoholic content of beverages allowed by the prohibition amendment.

Such a question would seem to be one for a body of medical practitioners rather than a high legal tribunal. But the doctors differ in their views on this point quite as widely as do laymen, and when doctors disagree, who will decide?

WOMEN JURORS

With many women voters of the state appearing to oppose equal rights measures that would include provision for jury service by women, it is difficult to see how the joint judiciary committee of the legislature that held extended hearings last Wednesday at the state house on this important subject, can arrive at a prompt decision.

The functions of juries are intellectual, to ascertain the truth of certain facts. The law at the present time does not say that every voter shall be drawn for jury service but that only persons of sound judgment and good moral character should be selected by city and town officials. Even the opponents of women serving upon juries admit that women generally are as qualified in sound judgment and character as many males drawn for such service. The legislative judiciary committee, it is understood, has not declared itself opposed to women serving on juries, but expresses the belief that if they are to serve, they, as well as the men, should be subjected to intellectual tests.

LETTING IN THE LIGHT

President William H. Burns of the Massachusetts Association of Disabled Veterans of the World War, has notified United States Senator David I. Walsh, offering him the assistance of his organization in the contemplated investigation by congress of the United States Veterans' bureau. President Burns has more than once roundly criticized the Boston bureau and declared it has ceased to function as an efficient aid to disabled veterans. Many other veterans through their organization leaders, have done the same thing, but very often their protests have never been honored by replies or any consideration whatever.

It is to be hoped that any investigation of this veterans' bureau and its tangled administrative affairs may be started without any further delay for the good of our disabled soldiers first and for the good name of all efficient administrative officials who are not to blame for the amazing situation. The matter has been delayed altogether too long.

WHO HELPED FARMERS?

Legislation passed under the Wilson administration and still operative has served to mitigate to some extent the effects of the incompetence and indifference of the present republican regime. The Federal Reserve act and the Farm Loan act are two measures which have been of value to agriculture in spite of the failure of republican officials to administer them fairly and efficiently.

Some 74,000 loans, aggregating \$224,301,400, were made by the 12 federal farm loan banks in 1922. Almost a billion dollars have been loaned to farmers by these banks since their inauguration.

TWO FOR A NICKEL

Housewives in Chicago, with great glee, are pinching themselves to see if they are awake. They can buy two loaves of bread for a nickel!

The low price is due to a war between two chain store organizations. One kind of war in which the average consumer does not believe in peace conferences.

What's going on, in Chicago, tells you more about the benefits of competition and the disadvantages of monopoly than a professor could get in a large book.

PEACE IN SIGHT

There is a rift in the clouds that hang over Ireland which may portend the dawn of an era of peace. The Free State officials don't intend to allow the irregulars to destroy the country under any pretence whatsoever. The announcement made today by President Cosgrave should be convincing on that point. In any referendum that is likely to be adopted, fully 95 per cent of the people will sustain the officials of the Free State.

SEEN AND HEARD

The best way to feel at home is to stay there.
If we could only leave the income tax blank that way.
A dream is a nightmare when she has her hair rolled up.
A man who means, well doesn't always keep within his means.

A Thought

If gratitude is due from children to their earthly parents, how much more is the gratitude of the great masses due to our Father in Heaven.
—Hoshea Ballou.

New Commandment

A teacher in an elementary school had given lessons to an infants' class on the ten commandments. In order to test their memories she asked: "Can any little child give me a commandment containing only four words?" A hand was raised immediately. "Well," said the teacher, "the fourth of the commandments was the unexpected reply.

Couldn't Stop Her

A woman whose throat had troubled her for a long time grew impatient at the slow progress she was making and complained to her doctor. "Madam," said the physician, "I can never cure you of this throat trouble unless you stop talking and give your throat a rest." "But, doctor," objected the patient, "my very careful what I say. I never use harsh language or anything of that kind."

The Jocular Visitor

It was at the Van Buren's reception, a social event of the season. Mr. and Mrs. Jones arrived late, a little flustered by the magnificence of the reception. Jones in his embarrassment, handed the butler a laund check. "Pardon me, sir," said the butler, "but what is this for?" "This," said the guest, "is a check for the laundry bill." "Two dollars," he replied without hesitation.—Toronto Globe.

Bread and Butter

Miss Yvonne, a clever English actress, tells a story of an actress friend of hers whose little 4-year-old daughter one day inquired of her: "Why do you go to the theatre?" "To get bread and butter," she was told. "Next day she had tea with the landlady. 'So you've been to the theatre, have you?' she inquired in her knowing little way. 'The dictionary,' said the landlady. 'how did you get this bread and butter?'"

The Eminent Lawyer

The eminent lawyer came back from court in something of a huff. There had been some words with the judge. Upon entering his office the attorney took up his brief, rushed to the big dictionary, and began a search. Finally he turned to his partner. "The latter awaited developments. 'The dictionary,' said the eminent lawyer solemnly, 'disagrees with my spelling of this word.' 'In that case,' suggested the equally eminent colleague, 'take an appeal to the encyclopedia.'"

Capitol Jokes

U. S. Representative Fritz G. Lanham of Texas tells this as a favorite story: A Negro waiter in a small town restaurant where the menu consisted of ham and eggs, steak, fried potatoes and coffee, took to the New York. There he soon spent his money and applied for work at a smart hotel and was assigned to a table. A fashionable couple entered and were seated. "Waiter," said the gentleman, please bring me some champagne and the lady some bouillabaisse. "Yes, yes," said the waiter. "Then you can bring us some pate de foie gras, a porterhouse a la Bordelaise, potatoes Lyonnaise, and head lettuce with mayonnaise." And finally with two champagne perfumes, some roachefort, Bent's water crackers and two demi-tasses. "Yes, yes," said the waiter, uncertainly. Then he went back to the butler's pantry, where he yelled: "Gimmie!" The cook was busy and paid no attention. Again the negro shouted: "Gimmie!" "Give you what?" growled the cook. "Gimmie my hat and coat," said the waiter.

Conquette

How sweet her smile is when her eyes meet mine as if with glad surprise To welcome me as I draw near, Enraptured, to her presence dear! How proud it makes me feel that all around can see The charming, witching smile with which she welcomes me!

How fair she is! How fair, how sweet Fair would I worship at her feet! How thrilling is her tender glance, Suggestive of a sweet romance! How could her welcome fail to set my heart aflame But, oh, ah me! She smiles on others just the same! —Somerville Journal.

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MAN ABOUT TOWN

I am informed that the idea of the rural mail carrier feeding the birds as he travels over his route is poetical, but not practical. The report went out a few weeks ago that the rural mail men were going to be given grain to spread along their routes, as they traveled along in the country districts. The idea sounded very good, of course, to all lovers of bird life, and it was supposed that it would be a simple matter for the mail carriers to haul the grain along their routes. However, the rural mail men have had a mountain of trouble during the past month or more getting mail delivered and making their way over the countryside snow-blockaded roads, and haven't had much time to loaf along feeding the birds. A carrying bag of grain for the mail delivery graycoats tells me that it would be far better to outfit school children, although he doesn't mean those children who now ride to some of the rural schools over many miles of country roads in crowded, unventilated buses. Many of the latter school children have suffered lately from cold weather and slow trips over blockaded roads, and have back all winter in towns right near Lowell.

Many of the February "snow birds" that I have seen in the Christian Hill district not far from my domicile, who have gathered when I have scattered crumbs of bread and bits of meat on the snow in the rear of their houses, seemed to be hungry enough to eat nails. I have been amazed, too, at the variety of birds that have hung around my home during the past three weeks. Although not a bird expert, I am sure I saw cardinal birds, chickadees and robins last Sunday and Monday and, of course, the usual number of common English sparrows. There were two birds one morning that mistook for spring robins, and it might have made a good story to broadcast, but I was informed later that they were not robins, but some variety of the crimson-crowned families with whose names I am not familiar.

A local bank is spreading pamphlets warning customers to look out for their money withdrawals and to follow simple rules suggested by investment bankers of wide experience. These rules are the acid test for investors: Never permit a stock salesman to rush you into buying unknown stocks by the argument that the securities will be sold overnight. Take the literature and the salesman's statements to your investment banker for analysis and investigation. Do not deal with total strangers. If your commercial or investment banker's recommendation is to let the securities alone, do so. The treasury department reports that there are still more than \$200,000,000 of U. S. Victory 4 1/2 per cent notes of Series A, B, C, D, E and F, which were called for payment on December 15, but have not been presented for payment. The department will return the uncalled Victory notes at any time at 100 and accrued interest, if presented for payment.


Lowell horsemen are glad to hear that C. Bernard Austin has been appointed editor of the Trotter & Pacer. Austin has attended more than one Golden Cove race meet and last season appeared at the mid-summer meeting, climbing into the judges' stand just as if he belonged there and being warmly greeted. Austin is a "hobby writer" if there ever was one. He carries a tiny little red book containing some 30 white blank sheets of note paper and keeps a record of every race by a system of his own. Even the names of the horses are not written out completely, for he knows them all. The Christmas number of Trotter and Pacer, to be found in almost any horse mart about town, was devoted to the summaries of races, grouped according to circuits and sections of the country, so that one can quite readily follow the campaign of almost any horse by consulting the index of meetings. The scheme is somewhat new in turf journalism. Lowell horsemen are now waiting, of course, for Wallace's "Year Book" to make its appearance. The following of horse racing in and about Lowell and New England, too, always look for the appearance of "Wallace's."

The only convenient public haven for newspapermen chasing down clues in the Tewksbury tragedy case, was that little car-stop station on the Lowell-Reading highway not far from the state hospital grounds. This is one of the coast little stations on the road, and judging by what I saw there on several visits last week, is conducting a very profitable business. The store and lunch-room is presided over by a youthful lady of pleasant manners and attractive looks, and all customers are greeted with smiles. The clerk is very popular, apparently, and of course, is a resident of the town. Hot coffee, sandwiches—plus anything you like in the food line, you can have if you will wait until the gas stove is lighted and the food warmed up. The car line runs close by, there is a covered piazza for shade purposes in summer, and during the winter months the interior is nicely heated. Close by are booths for dining, an electric piano of the old-fashioned kind and over in one corner the big necessity of all for a busy newspaper man—a long distance telephone booth and quick connections for Lowell, of which The Sun took advantage in accepting its contemporaries on the first complete story of the tragedy.

Postmaster Delisle receives frequently some interesting mail statistics compiled by the postoffice department agents at Washington and given out later to postmasters of each city and town. The postal mail service territories for distribution to citizens who may be interested in odd facts, figures and anecdotes relating to Uncle Sam's great mail-handling organization. Sixty years ago it cost \$2.04 to send an ounce letter from the U.S.A. to Australia. The letter's weight can be sent today for five cents. At the rates of 1857 were in effect now, American correspondence with foreign lands in 1922 would have required \$100,000,000 more in postage. Even in international mail exchange between England and the United States, an ounce letter cost 48 cents in 1857. To day the cost is but two cents. Our forefathers escaped the high rate partly by sending half-ounce letters at half rates. The cost of letters abroad in 1922. The cost of postage was estimated at \$6,432,000. In 1857 it would have cost approximately \$107,000,000 to send the same number of letters to foreign countries.

CHELSEAFORD SELECTMEN
At a recent meeting of the board of selectmen of Chelmsford the following organization was effected: George W. Dwyer, chairman; George W. Dwyer, chairman of the overseers of the poor; Harold C. Peterson, who was elected town clerk at the last annual meeting; was appointed town accountant.

Tom Sims Says



We sent our soldiers to Germany and they got married, so let's don't over fight China or Japan.

The world gets faster. A man can get married in two minutes or drink himself to death in one.

First saxophone was made in 1846 and the yell hasn't been stopped yet.

Entirely too many people try to get the upper hand by dealing from the bottom.

"Stay at home with your cold," advises a doctor. It would be nicer if you could leave it there alone.

Home grown things usually seem the best, especially home grown girls.

Wearing old clothes is all right if you know you don't have it.

Thinking you are sick tells on you quicker than a small brother.

One way to beat the income tax is to buy oil stock.

Spring will be here in a few weeks if some reformer doesn't object.

Next year is leap year, but every year is leap year for pedestrians.

A baby with a rich uncle is always easy to name.

Next to keeping a good man down the dumbest thing to do is keep a bad one up.

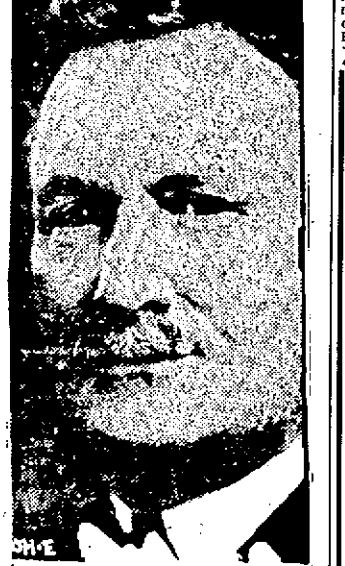
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DENIES CHARGES

Arthur Bullin, former investigator for the Burns detective agency, charged in a Chicago hearing that many of the "red outrages" were staged by the Burns and other detective agencies for their own profit in "unsolving them." "All lies," says William J. Burns (shown above), head of the Burns agency and chief of the Bureau of Investigation, U. S. Department of Justice.



SURVIVED BLAST

George Kondal lived to tell the story of the Dawson, N. Mex., mine blast horror. Picture shows Kondal a few minutes after being rescued following 16 hours' imprisonment. Only two survived of 120 who were trapped.

Colored silk lace is used for some charmingly draped evening gowns.

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P. S.—If you cannot find what you want in the above list, consult our saw files.

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Berton Braley's Daily Poem

IT'S UP TO YOU

Jim was just a little weak and just a little wild,
Jack was steadygoing as a clock,
Jim went to the city, where the blazing lights beguiled,
Jack stayed home and went to raising stock;
He worked and planned with clarity and won to great prosperity,
And he's a solid citizen today,
A pattern of propriety, of wisdom and sobriety,
An admirable sort in every way.

Jim was not successful in the city's stress and strife,
He couldn't keep his money or his job,
He made a mess of business and of morals and of life,
He's just a sort of wastrel in the mob;
Weak, reckless and impudent, he's but one more unfortunate
Who couldn't stand the graft—and came to harm,
And home folks who referred to him said,
"All that has occurred to him
Is just because he went and left the farm!"

They blame the wicked city for the ruin of Jim—
But I cannot somehow view it in that light,
For if Jack had sought the city—it would not have ruined him,
And I think he would have prospered there, all right,
And if Jim had never blown away I think he would have thrown away
His chances for acquiring honest pelf,
The place upon the map you are won't change the kind of chap you are,
Your destiny depends upon yourself!

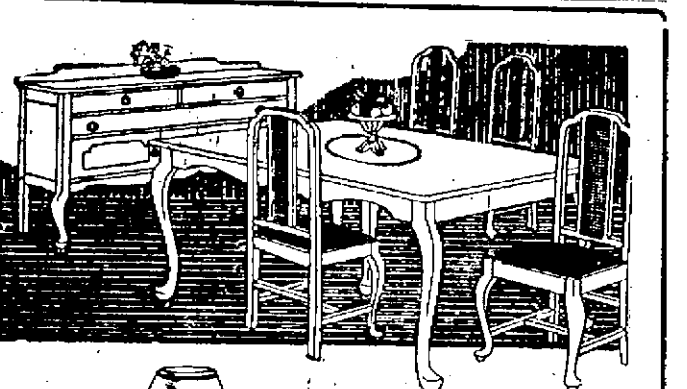
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RECEPTION TO GOVERNOR

The officers of the Massachusetts National Guard will hold a reception to the governor at the state house on Thursday, Feb. 22. Officers of Co. M have received instructions to report to the regimental adjutant in room 264 of the state house at 10.30 a. m. on that day. Service uniform, cap and sash will be worn. Every officer is expected to be present and permission to be absent will be granted only in case of absolute necessity. Immediately following the reception a dinner and lecture for the officers will be held at the Hotel Bellevue.

DRACUT SCHOOL BOARD

The school board of Dracut recently organized as follows for the ensuing year: Albert Fox, chairman; Harold H. Coburn, secretary; sub-committees on schools, Edna Cutler, Collinsport to the regional adjutant in room 264 of the state house at 10.30 a. m. on that day. Service uniform, cap and sash will be worn. Every officer is expected to be present and permission to be absent will be granted only in case of absolute necessity. Immediately following the reception a dinner and lecture for the officers will be held at the Hotel Bellevue.



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Speedy Ice Skaters Break Three World Records of Long Standing



LEFT TO RIGHT: DONALD BAKER, MISS GLADYS ROBINSON, MISS ELSIE MUELLER.

The ice speedsters refuse to take a back seat when it comes to smashing records. At the recent skating meet at Brookline City, N. Y., three new world's records were made, two of them by the fair sex. Donald Baker of Brooklyn covered 150 yards in 14 4-5 seconds, breaking a record that has been on the books for 40 years. The old mark was 15 7-8 seconds, made by George D. Phillips in 1883. Miss Gladys Robinson of Toronto, in a mile event with Miss Rose Johnson established a new mark of 3 minutes 58 2-5 seconds for the distance, beating the old mark by 2 1-5 seconds. Miss Elsie Mueller broke the record for 220 yards by negotiating the distance in 23 1-5 seconds, bettering the old mark by 4-5 of a second.

JACK MAULIFFE LATEST RIVAL OF DEMPSEY

By N. H. A. Service
DETROIT, Feb. 13.—Detroit has visions of another world's heavyweight champion pugilist. A big fellow, who is at present being groomed to take the place once occupied in the realm of fistiana by its other native son, Tommy Burns.

The chap referred to is Jack McAuliffe, protégé of Mark Shugrue, who in the two years he has been in the game has come to the front with such rapid strides that he already figures up as one of the most dangerous men in the division.

McAuliffe has all the requisites that go to make a real fighter. He is a coming giant standing 6 feet 11 inch and weighs 200 pounds. He is only 22 years old, but is a marvel of physical perfection. For a big fellow he is exceptionally fast and he has the tremendous shoulders of the athlete and the tenacious will of the fighter.

His chest is larger, when expanded, than that of Jess Willard, despite the fact that the former champion outweighs him by 30 pounds.

McAuliffe is also the possessor of an exceedingly long left arm, which is said by critics to be the fatal and surest of his weapons. He is a left-handed fighter, and his left hand is the longest, longer even than the right.

To date, McAuliffe has engaged in 16 bouts, of which all but one were won by the knockout route. The only man who has defeated him is Jess Willard, who in the first round of their fight, which was a ten-round affair, landed a knockout punch.

With the exception of Tom O'Neill, who managed to last seven seconds, most of McAuliffe's opponents have hit the canvas after two or three rounds of battling. All told, his 16 bouts have averaged but a bit more than three rounds to the fight. A most remarkable record considering the class of men he has met, and the short time he has been at the game.

No less an authority than Jim Corbett declares that McAuliffe seems certain to reach the heights of pugilistic fame within the next two years. "I believe," says Corbett, "that barring accidents, McAuliffe will be the champion of the world. He has everything necessary—strength, speed, boxing cleverness, and the fastest and cleverest big man I have ever seen." And coming from a man like Corbett that's praise aplenty.

Shugrue, however, doesn't figure

BROWN A GREAT HITTER Much Speculation on Possibility of Newport Johnny Kaying Al Shubert

Newport Johnny Brown, who is to meet Al Shubert, the New Bedford "beast" in the feature event of the Moody club show on next Thursday afternoon, is regarded as one of the hardest hitters of his weight ever developed. He has terrific force behind his blows as he hits straight from the shoulder.

Many promising featherweights and not a few lightweights have fallen victims of Brown's vicious punches.

Can he knock out the veteran and crafty Shubert? That is the question that is agitating local and Lawrence fans. Brown has beaten Micky Travis, who won twice over Shubert, in several of these bouts. Brown displaced several of Travis's teeth with a fierce left hook. He has also beaten Red Chapman, Earl Baird and various other notables.

Brown is training as never before and he has the advantage of expert coaching from his manager, Chick Hayes. The latter during his career as a boxer fought Shubert five times.

Consequently he has a thorough knowledge of the New Bedford batter's style and habits. He is imparting this information to his protégé and he firmly believes Brown will accomplish what few boxers, if any, have accomplished—a knockout of the "beast" in six rounds.

Shubert, however, who like the famous brook, seems to go on for ever, is not worrying over Brown's hitting ability. He has met many of the same type before. He is training diligently and he expects to show the Lowell fans, who remember his sensational bout of a few years ago with Billy Beane, that he is still a master workman.

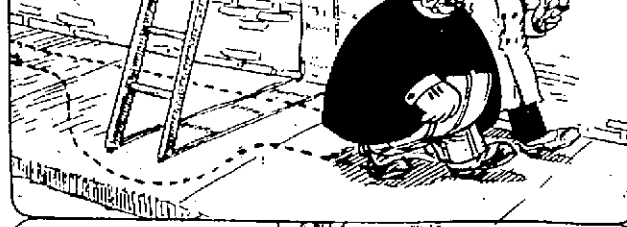
Connie Lynch, manager of Billy Murphy, informed us today that the bout between Murphy and Joe Currie of New Haven, scheduled to take place in Lawrence on Thursday night, has been postponed until Friday night.

On making the mistake many others have made by matching his pupil with the top-notchers in a hurry. On the other hand, he plans on hiding his time, grooming McAuliffe, slowly and carefully, with a crack at the title as the inevitable goal.

EVERETT TRUE

YES, I OBJECT TO WALKING UNDER A LADDER. I'M A BIT SUPERSTITIOUS, I MUST ADMIT.

I'M NOT THE LEAST BIT SUPERSTITIOUS MYSELF. SUPERSTITIOUS, YOU KNOW, IS A THROW-BACK FROM SAVAGERY.



POLO LEAGUE RACE IS CLOSE

All Teams Are Bunched as Sixteenth Week of Season Gets Under Way

Lowell Plays Six Games This Week—Duggan Still Heads Goal Getters

POLO LEAGUE STANDING	Won	Lost	P.C.
Worcester	35	27	66.5
Providence	32	31	50.8
New Bedford	32	34	48.5
Lowell	29	31	48.3
Portland	28	32	46.7

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE
Monday—Lowell at Portland, New Bedford at Providence.
Tuesday—Worcester at Lowell, Providence at New Bedford.
Wednesday—Lowell at Worcester.
Thursday—(Afternoon) Worcester at Portland (night) New Bedford at Lowell.
Friday—Providence at New Bedford, Portland at Lowell.
Saturday—Portland at Worcester, Lowell at Providence.

The 16th week of the National Roller Polo league pennant race finds Bill Duggan of the New Bedford Whalers still setting the pace among the goal-getters and spot rushes. Duggan is the only player who has scored more than 200 goals. He is also the only one with more than 500 rushes to his credit.

Duggan has 203 bullekeys to his credit, 125 of which are second with 124. These scores are for all games up to and including last Thursday night. A great many of the other players are also doing well, but none have reached Duggan's mark.

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The goal tenders are more closely bunched than ever before, with Conley of Worcester being the leader. He has 12 goals to his credit. The other goal tenders are also doing well, but none have reached Conley's mark.

The game is now close, very close. Worcester retains the lead with a three and a half game margin over Providence. The other teams are also doing well, but none have reached Worcester's mark.

Tonight Lowell will play in Portland. Worcester plays in New Bedford. Providence plays in New Bedford. Lowell plays in Portland. Portland plays in Worcester. New Bedford plays in Providence.

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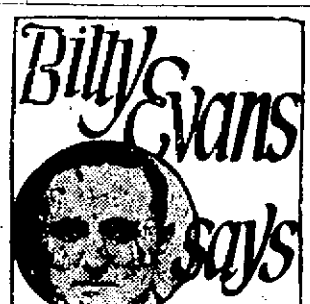
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With the spitball dying a slow but sure death, another peril faces the batsman in baseball.

I have reference to the knuckle ball or finger ball or whatever other title you may care to give it.

Pitching in major league circles runs in cycles as to style of delivery. It is constantly changing to meet the new situations that arise.

Twenty years ago the fast ball was the big thing. It was considered most effective when kept high on the batter.

By Young and Ames these are the two best examples of old style of pitching. They were equally famous in their day.

Then came the spitball. At first it was only used by a few pitchers because of the great difficulty in controlling it. Pitchers who didn't use it, faked the delivery through all the preliminary motions, because of the psychological effect on the batters.

The spitball was the first of the un-ethical or so-called trick deliveries. Scores of stunts to make the ball take puzzling turns were soon invented by the brainy twisters of the majors. Their cleverness went down the line to the minors and amateurs.

Not so many years ago pitching was largely a matter of trickery. The curve and fast ball were little used. A majority of the pitchers were using new fangled deliveries, most of which were made possible through trickery or to the detriment of the ball.

The spitballs as well as most other trick deliveries are most effective when broken low on the batter. This fact caused pitchers to use a fast ball and curve as they took in trade to switch to the low ball. At present the fast ball kept low is regarded more effectively than the high ball, high and inside, of 30 years ago.

Cheating on the part of the pitchers became so prevalent that it was necessary to curtail their use. By cheating I mean the doctoring of the ball in some way to produce an unnatural break. The solution was the abolition of the spitball. It was agreed that major league pitchers using the spitball should be permitted to continue during the minor league season. Only about a dozen still remain in the minors.

There came the introduction of the lively ball. The lively ball, using the combination of freak pitching, made for much more hitting. In fact so much more hitting that the game has become a fast game. A home run has become a part of every successful big league pitcher's repertoire.

Fast ball pitching is made to order for the batter with the lively ball in the air. The batter must not be taken in by the fast ball. A slow ball is now a part of every successful big league pitcher's repertoire.

Most active for the Whalers, but Evans and Doherty were on him much of the time, and he never made a goal. The outcome was 5 to 2. The lineup, score and summary:

PROVIDENCE NEW BEDFORD
Worcester 3, Evans 1, Duggan 1, Higgins 1, Gardner 1, Welch 1, Doherty 1, Smith 1, P. Welch 1.

Summary: Score, Providence 5, New Bedford 2. Rushes, Worcester 51, Evans 40, Higgins 33, Doherty 32, Gardner 32, Welch 32, Doherty 32, Smith 32, P. Welch 32. Reference, P. Welch.

BOXING
MOODY CLUB
Crescent Rink
AFTERNOON, WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY, 3 O'CLOCK
Al Shubert of New Bedford vs. Newport Johnny Brown

Inside Stuff On Davis Cup Matches



EAT WOOD

BY VINCENT RICHARDS

Famous Tennis Star
Perhaps the big surprise of the Davis cup matches last year was the defeat of Bill Tilden and myself in the doubles.

There will always be many different versions of why the United States Davis cup team was defeated in the doubles by the Australian, Pat O'Hara Wood and Gerald P. Patterson.

Following the playing of this important match at Forest Hills, the news-papers critics took out of both Tilden and myself, the American standard bearers, some placing the blame on "Big Bill," while others were certain that it was I who faltered badly.

Tilden and I both admit that we played below our regular form against the foreign invaders, but we also agree that too much praise cannot be given to Patterson and Wood for the sensational exhibition they displayed at every interval of the fierce struggle.

Australians Get the Jump
They managed to get the jump on us from the outset. They took us by surprise. We underestimated their remarkable ability.

Employing what is known as the "English formation," the Australians threw a large-sized monkey wrench into our proverbial mechanism.

This variety of a game provides for one man at the net and the other in the mid-court. Against us, Wood was the net partner, and the way this superior player cut off our waitment shots in the first set, was most discouraging. The remarkable playing of Wood was

the real reason for our defeat. He was simply invincible.

Tilden and I were unable to reach the net, the place where we usually met in our deadly work. Let me say right here that a doubles team will be beaten on an average of nine times out of ten unless one of the partners can excel in performing at the net.

Strain in Match Play
On being interviewed by one of the leading sport writers of the country the day following the defeat at the hands of the players from Australia, the first question he asked me was if I experienced a spell of nervousness during the historic encounter.

This question made me wonder if my actions betrayed that I was laboring under a strain, to which he replied in the negative.

In answering my esteemed questioner I made it as plain as I could that there was always a nervous strain attached to the participants in important tennis matches.

No one dare deny this, if he has ever experienced the sensation of a grueling battle against an opponent, or opponents, who are alive to every opportunity.

As to my being nervous in the Davis cup games I can only say that I felt the same in these contests as I did in other important engagements.

Naturally "Big Bill" and I are anxious to get another crack at Wood and Patterson. Of course, much depends upon Tilden's finger, but we are nourishing the hope that we will bring the doubles championship back to the United States next summer.

RUMORS OF TRADES AT BASKETBALL SERIES TO BE RESUMED TONIGHT

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 13.—As the owners and officials of the American Basketball league gathered here today for the annual meeting of the league, rumors of important trades in local basketball circles were being spread.

None of the managers here would discuss the matter and those directly interested did not arrive at an early hour today.

The most important deal said to be impending was that which would send Eddie Collins from the Chicago White Sox to the New York Yankees. Officials of the two clubs were in conference in New York yesterday with Col. Ruppert and Col. Huston, owners of the Yankees, and it was said an early decision would be reached.

Very little business except the adoption of a playing schedule for the coming season, was expected to come before the meeting.

The Y.M.C.A. is out to make a clean sweep and will call upon the following athletes in an attempt to accomplish their purpose: Lerner, Curran, McGowan, Kaley, Davis, Desmond and Cawley.

A game of considerable importance in local amateur circles will be decided on Wednesday night when the Y.M.C.A. winners of the city league championship, and the Lowell boys club, great rivals of the champions, will have it.

This contest has been the talk of the town for several weeks and it is expected to develop into a fast and well-contested combat. It will be run off in accordance with amateur rules with Donald MacIntyre, physical instructor of the local schools and a registered A. A. referee, in charge.

The Sacred Heart Five sends another letter asking why the St. Patrick's Y.M.C.A. team has not replied to their challenge. The Sacred Heart's says the letter is ready to play any junior team in Lowell.

It is understood the St. Patrick's team is ready to meet the Sacred Heart's and that just as soon as arrangements can be made for the hall, the challenge will be accepted.

BOXING
AT LAWRENCE CITY HALL.
Friday Eve., Feb. 23, at 8.15
BILLY MURPHY
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Conqueror of Young Manly

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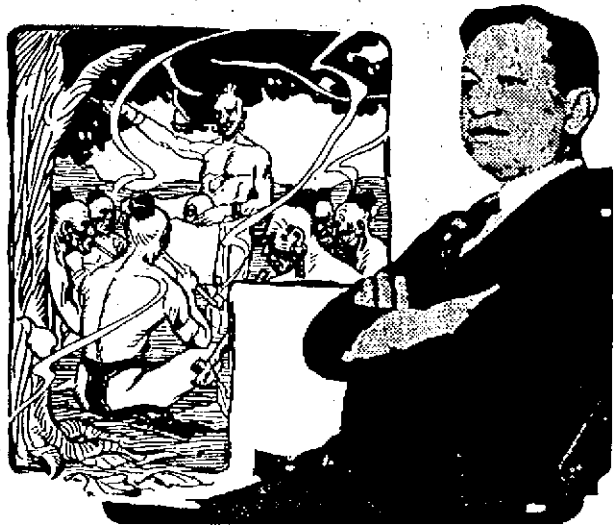
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Take Indians' Example to Perfect League of Nations



By GAWASA WANNUM
Descendant of Seneca Sachems, Clan
of the Bear, Seneca Nation of the
League of the Iroquois; Author
of "The Constitution of the
Five Nations"

not the quarrelsome, war-torn nations
of the world make peace patterned
after the successful plan of the Iro-
quois Indians? The Tree of War stands in the Gar-
den of Peace. Money is the taproot
of the world's wars; the supporting

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THE MAJOR RECALLS A "VOW" MADE IN EGYPT

roots of the Tree of War are jealousy,
superstition, ambition and revenge.
What prevents world peace? Only
one thing: The world is not yet civil-
ized.

The world should have a League of
Nations and America should be called
upon to elect a moderator, like Ado-
dardah, the Onondaga, who was the
presiding officer of the Iroquois Five
Nations. Let President Harding be
the Adodardah of 1923.

The sponsor of the Iroquois' great
plan was Jikonsaseh, the "mother of
nations." To carry out the analogy let
the Queen of Italy be the Jikonsaseh
of 1923.

Under these directing hands, Ger-
many should be forced to repudiate
her internal indebtedness. An inter-
national commission should be given
the means to deal with the defeated
central powers and to make them un-
derstand that justice is dispensed by
an informed and intelligent jury of
nations must be accepted.

Let the nations redeem their paper
money and issue no more unsecured
currency. Let them have an inter-
national currency and a central bank
in each country. Nothing would so
induce peace and discourage war.
It should be done as the Iroquois did
it: All nations were invited to sit be-
neath a metaphorical "Tree of Peace"
after first casting their weapons into a
bottomless cavern. Each nation
sent as many sachems to the council
as desired, but each nation had
only one vote, and the vote was in-
valid unless it was the unanimous
sense of the delegates.

REPORT OF BIRTHS

Jan. 7.—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ig-
neria, 8 Cherry street, a daughter.
Jan. 25.—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph
Audrardo, 168 Charles street, a son.
Jan. 29.—To Mr. and Mrs. Mansur
Adams, 665 Pine street, a daughter.
Feb. 4.—To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick
Sullivan, 17 Swift street, a daughter.
Feb. 5.—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mo-
rin, 45 Barbara street, a son.
Feb. 6.—To Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Tremblay, 11 Elbow
street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs.
George Plante, 106 Rock street, a
son; to Mr. and Mrs. John Henry
3 Hall's place, Coburn street, a son;
to Mr. and Mrs. Antonio G. Secalra, 8
Clark's court, a daughter; to Mr.
and Mrs. John Mullin, 616 Broadway,
a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. William
Macchio, 809 Pinecone street, a son;
to Mr. and Mrs. Omer Hebert, 21
Lilley avenue, a son.
Feb. 8.—To Mr. and Mrs. Joan Bap-
tiste Hebert, 116 Salem street, a
daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Arthania
Lafondrasse, 11 Jollette avenue, a
daughter.
Feb. 9.—To Mr. and Mrs. James P.
McKone, 11 Drake street, a son;
to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan George Lapham,
Chelmsford, a daughter; to Mr. and
Mrs. John Collins, 22 Belle avenue, a
daughter.
Feb. 10.—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H.
Gaudreau, 280 West Sixth street, a
son; to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lawrence,
2 Piana's court, a son; to Mr. and
Mrs. Thomas Swalden, rear 22 Lagrange
street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs.
George Cadral, 18 Clifton street, a
daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Henri
815 Merrimack street, a daughter;
to Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Guertin,
18 Arlington street, a daughter; to
Mr. and Mrs. Xavier Corbin, 112 Mar-
lin street, a son.
Feb. 11.—To Mr. and Mrs. Augusta
Levasseur, 169 Cushing street, a son;
to Mr. and Mrs. Maros, 250 Pine
Chelmsford street, a daughter; to Mr.
and Mrs. Clifford Mackie, 15 Hamp-
ton street, a daughter; to Mr. and
Mrs. Harold Canning, 100 Pine
street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs.
Edwin Drake, 8 Prince street, a son;
to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Theriault, 630
Merrimack street, a son; to Mr. and
Mrs. Joseph Jussanne, 95 Austin
street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. David
Joseph Allen, 18 Middlesex park, a
son; to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Regan,
44 Sutherland street, a son; to Mr.
and Mrs. Raoul Deaudon, 408 Mid-
dlessex street, a daughter; to Mr. and
Mrs. Clarence Williams, Pleasant
street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs.
Edward Ayers, 232 Chelmsford street,
a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph
Blazonski, 39 Pleasant street, a son;
to Mr. and Mrs. George Varonick,
30 Ward street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs.
Frank William Russell, 191 Middlesex
street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Philip
Thibault, 25 Pawtucket street, a son;
to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rose Daniel,
7 Clifton avenue, a daughter.
Feb. 12.—To Mr. and Mrs. John
Zalesny, 22 Front street, a son;
to Mr. and Mrs. Alexandre Richard, 11
McIntire street, a daughter; to Mr.
and Mrs. Joseph Brady, 47 Lincoln
street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Albert
Gendron, 455 Moody street, a daugh-
ter; to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Burke,
81 Powell street, a son; to Mr. and
Mrs. Andrew Theokas, 176 Adams
street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Leo
Joseph Dube, 98 Worthen street, a
son.
Feb. 14.—To Mr. and Mrs. Anthony
Maliszewski, 19 Spring street, a
daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph
Kopynski, Grand street, a son;
to Mr. and Mrs. Albert West, 15
Cambridge street, a daughter.
Feb. 15.—To Mr. and Mrs. Manuel
Tachira, 3 Montclair avenue, a

IN THE LEGISLATURE

Big Fight Expected on Propo- sition to Repeal the Volstead Act

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Feb. 19.—
Close followers of affairs on Beacon
hill believe that the legislature will
refuse to take any action on the nu-
merous liquor bills now pending before
the committee on legal affairs.
Personal liberty, Volsteadism and all
other attempts being made to liberal-
ize the Sunday laws or make them
more drastic form the subjects of the
various bills that are being considered
by the committee. The principal fight
will come, however, on the bills pro-
posing the question of whether or not
the Volstead act should be repealed.

It is evident from the speech of
James P. Roberts made before the
committee Thursday that there is cer-
tain element of prohibitionists who
believe the question ought to be sub-
mitted to the people. He declared al-
though he favored the enforcement of
prohibition he believed the people
should have the right to vote on the
matter. "It is not that I love prohibi-
tion," he said, "but that I love
democracy more."

The Anti-Saloon League forces are
also supporting their measure
strengthening the present liquor laws.
One bill, House No. 641 would make
the enforcement provisions of the
Massachusetts laws correspond with
those of the Volstead act so that the
state officials could enforce the Vol-
stead act here. This measure was in-
troduced despite the fact that it was
overwhelmingly rejected by the people
at the last state election.
Rev. Martin D. Kneeland in explain-
ing the league's action in introducing
the bill declared that the legisla-
ture should pay no attention to the referen-
dum vote rejecting the prohibition en-
forcement. He asserted that the people
had been misled by representation and

urged that the weak spot which he
alleged existed in the state laws as
they exist today be remedied. He said
that state officers are unable to make
searches and seizures of liquor in
transportation or on the person. The
anti-saloon bill reads: "No person
shall manufacture, sell, barter, trans-
port, import, export, deliver or furnish
any spirituous or intoxicating liquor—
unless in each instance he has ob-
tained the permits or other au-
thority required by the laws of the
United States and the regulations
made thereunder and has otherwise
complied with said laws and regula-
tions. The failure of any person to
obtain such permit when requested
to do so by any duly qualified offi-
cer charged with the duty of enforce-
ing the provisions of this chapter shall
be deemed to be prima facie evidence
that no such permit exists."

It is almost commonly agreed, how-
ever, that the present legislature will
do nothing with the liquor question.
Most of the legislators agree that if
the question is submitted to the peo-
ple they would declare against the
Volstead act and its enforcement in
Massachusetts by state officials, and
would vote to repeal it if given the
chance.

Contrasting felle ribbon is now used
to trim the felt hat.



\$2000-A-WEEK STAR HERE

English film producers paid Ruby Miller, shown above,
\$2000 a week, according to reports. Now she's in California to
enter American movies. (Note: She's red-headed.)

PRESIDENT THAYER MAKES STATEMENT

President Thayer of the American
Telephone & Telegraph company has
given out the following statement in
response to questions relative to the
hearing at the state house on Thurs-
day of last week with respect to the
proposal to tax the dividends of the
American Telephone & Telegraph com-
pany on stock owned in Massachu-
setts:

"The present law is conceded to be
unconstitutional. When the law under
it became disproportionate in amount,
excessive and intolerable, the com-
pany had no alternative but to protest
it. Telephone stock has always been
exempt in Massachusetts. The exemp-
tion existed long prior to 1916 when
the income tax law was passed. The
income tax law declared the state's
general policy to be not to tax the
income from securities exempt under
then existing law. It was pursuant to
this policy on the part of the state,
and not pursuant to any agreement be-
tween the state and the company, that
these dividends were exempted. We
know of no agreement affecting this
matter of exemption nor have we been

able to ascertain that any such agree-
ment was ever considered."
"The proposed law which was dis-
cussed at the hearing is in three sec-
tions. The first refers to the taxation
of the company; the second and third,
to taxation of Massachusetts stock-
holders. The vice president of the
company appeared at the first meet-
ing and stated the company's position
as to the first section dealing with the
taxation of the company and pro-
tested against the taxation of Massa-
chusetts stockholders. The company
calling attention to the second hear-
ing. The company inserted advertise-
ments in the Massachusetts papers
calling attention to the second hear-
ing, in order that the stockholders
might know that legislation affecting
their direct as well as their indirect
interests had been proposed and
might, if they desired, take the op-
portunity to state their views at the
hearing."

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It is so the world over. There has come a new era
in teeth cleaning. You and everyone should learn
how much it means.

Why teeth discolor

Film is what clouds teeth—that viscous film you
feel. It clings to teeth, enters crevices and stays.
Food stains, etc., discolor it. Then it forms cloudy
clouds. Tartar is based on film.
Old methods did not effectively combat it. So most
teeth were coated more or less. And few escaped the
troubles caused by film.
Film holds food substance which ferments and
forms acid. It holds the acid in contact with the teeth
to cause decay. Germs breed by millions in it. They,
with tartar, are the chief cause of pyorrhea.

Now ways to fight it

Dental science has now found two ways to fight
that film. One acts to curdle
film, one to remove it, and
without any harmful scouring.
Able authorities proved
those ways effective. Then a
new-type tooth paste was
created, based on modern re-

search. Those two film combatants were embodied
in it for daily application.
The name of that tooth paste is Pepsodent. Now
dentists the world over are urging its adoption. To
careful people of some 50 nations it has brought
safer, whiter teeth.

Mistakes corrected

Research also proved that former methods reduced
Nature's tooth-protecting forces in the mouth.
Pepsodent corrects that mistake. It multiplies the
alkalinity of the saliva. That is there to neutralize
mouth acids, the cause of tooth decay. It multiplies
the starch digestant in the saliva. That is there to
digest starch deposits which may otherwise ferment
and form acids.

Watch it for a week

A test of Pepsodent will prove a revelation. Note
how clean the teeth feel after using. Mark the absence
of the viscous film. See how teeth whiten as the film-
clouds disappear.

Avoid Harmful Grit

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it without harmful scouring. Its polishing
agent is far softer than enamel. Never use
a film combatant which contains harsh grit.

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31 Fire Fatalities

In Greater New York
Continued From Page One

morque, but six more remained in the ice-covered ruins. Those it was feared, had been cremated, and that the bodies of the victims were scattered about the ruins. The bodies of the victims were scattered about the ruins.

The blaze was believed to have been started by a terrific blast set by the explosion of a gas tank. The explosion broke the insulation on electric wires, causing a short circuit.

The blast set 6335 inmates cowering and wailing with a sense of impending doom. Attendees calmed them and got them to bed, but before morning the doom fantasized by the disordered brains had come true, for 22 of them. They had been burned to death in a fierce fire that swept the west wing of the main building. Three heroic attendants died with them, striving to the last to rescue them from the livid hell of flames.

Hospital authorities and City Medical Examiner Norris, who rushed to the scene, agreed that the blast not only had been a warning of the impending doom, but in all probability had been the immediate cause of the fire. The blast, according to their theory, caused a break in the insulation of electric wires in the attic building. A short circuit, they think, did the rest.

The fire was discovered at 5.05 o'clock by Michael Campbell, an attendant in ward 43, in which all the fatalities occurred.

Heroic Work by Attendants
His calm, heroic work, and that of James Hill, attendant in charge, and Patrick Billigan of Hartford, Conn., George A. de Bono and George J. Weiss, the three attendants who were burned to death, prevented a far greater holocaust.

Campbell manned a hose line and fought back the flames, while the others, directed by Hill, ran up and down the 200-foot top floor corridor, routing the patients with the cool order of a fire drill.

"All up for breakfast!" As fast as the inmates—declared by Capt. Marcus B. Heyman to have been the most dangerous on the island—could be marshalled from their rooms, they were marched in orderly procession to the fireproof dining hall, far from the scene of the fire.

Seventy of the 92 inmates of ward 43 had been led or carried to safety when a huge water tank in the blazing attic crashed through the ceiling, completely blocking the corridor that led to safety and filling the hall with flames and smoke. City firemen, lighting their way past the blazing barrier, brought several struggling, screaming inmates, and several others who had been overcome by smoke while dressing for the "breakfast" call. Most of the dead were found in the rooms and corridor beyond the fall of the tank. Several were believed to have been carried down and buried beneath debris when the floor gave way.

The building in which the fire occurred—the so-called "main building"—is an ancient brick and wood structure, shaped like the letter "E." It is three stories high, and had accommodations for a maximum of 2200 patients. There were about 1600 in it when the fire was discovered, and of these about 300 were seriously endangered by the flames. They were the patients in the huge west wing.

The 92 patients imprisoned in ward 43, on the third floor where the fire took its toll, were described by Dr. Heyman as "violent, homicidally-inclined men," any one of whom might suddenly have turned with blazing fury in his eyes, upon his rescuers. But so coolly did the attendants work, that only in a half dozen cases at the most were there instances of struggles against, or attacks on, the attendants and firemen.

"The rescuers did magnificent work," said Dr. Norris, after he had been out of the burning wing and been told of how the inmates were handled. "It was little short of a miracle that the death toll was kept from running into the hundreds."

While the rescue work was being carried forward the flames burst through the roof of the building and lighted up the entire island. Screams of the terrified patients nearest the flames aroused the entire population of the madmen's island and in a twinkling every window framed a maniac's face. The battle against the flames was

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THE GHOSTS OF GLAMIS

Tales of Haunted Castle of Duke of York's
Fiancee Are Revived



GLAMIS CASTLE HAS ITS SPELL BEEN CAST OVER LADY ELIZABETH BOWES-LYON (ABOVE) ENGAGED TO THE DUKE OF YORK (LEFT)

BY MILTON BRONNER
N.E.A. Service Staff Correspondent
LONDON, Feb. 19.—If Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, who will soon be the bride of the Duke of York and may some day become queen of England, moves into the castle of Glamis, ancient, ancient Scottish home of her ancestors, it will add another chapter to the ever-growing fairy-tale which has become legend. Should Lady Elizabeth become queen and go off into a never-never land of absorption, her friends will blame it on the old castle.

For it's a haunted place peopled by ghosts of dead kings. It has secrets that go back to the 14th century. It was there that the Macbeths of Shakespeare killed Banquo and King Duncan. But the secret that is most often imparted, although it is supposed to be known to only three persons at a time—the holder of the title of Earl of Strathmore, his heir and the factor who takes care of the place—concerns one Duke of Brunsford.

He was a mighty card player. One Sunday night he insisted upon his game. None of his followers would play. So he retired to his card chamber, vowing he would play with someone, even if it were the devil.

Soon came a loud knocking at the castle gates and a stranger wrapped in a red cloak demanded admission. He was conducted to the master's cardroom. Together they played all night. Shortly afterward the earl died. Then the servants heard sounds in the card room. This earl's ghost, doomed to play forever with the devil. The door of the room was bolted, barred and closed forever.

But there is another yarn about the secret room which goes back still farther in time.

In ancient Scotland rival noble families and their retainers were always at war with each other. One dark night the leader of one of these clans, with all his men, came pounding at Glamis castle for shelter. They were seeking to escape from their enemies.

More Lights Would Decrease Crime
CAMBRIDGE, Feb. 19.—More lights in the dark parts of cities would do more towards the suppression of crime than three times the present number of policemen, according to Prof. William J. Drisko of Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Professor Drisko declared in a lecture yesterday that better lighting stimulated cleaner standards of living, eliminated imperfect sanitary conditions cut down the number of accidents in industry and every day life and increased industrial production both in quantity and quality.

Doeller to Go to Work—Marriage Delayed
PARIS, Feb. 19.—William E. Doeller, fiance of Miss Catherine Louise Liltauer, is bound for New York on board the steamer President Polk, according to the Herald, which says that Mr. Doeller intends to get work and prove that he is able to support a wife. When Col. William A. Liltauer of New York, the girl's father, recently withdrew his appeal to the courts for prevention of the marriage, it was understood that Miss Liltauer had promised not to marry for several months.

110,000,000 Francs For Ruhr Operations
PARIS, Feb. 19.—An appropriation of 110,000,000 francs for the expense of the Ruhr operations in January and February has been prepared by Finance Minister De La Seyrie for approval by the cabinet council tomorrow after which it will be submitted to parliament. The sum of 50,000,000 francs is intended to cover the expenses of the army, which would have cost 15,000,000 francs at home, while the remaining 60,000,000 francs is for the cost of the attempted operation of the railroads, on which the Germans are striking.

Reports Ice Field Menace to Navigation
BOSTON, Feb. 19.—A radio message today from the steamer Eastern Coast, bound from Helsingfors for Boston, said that she had just passed the southern end of an ice field between 40 and 50 miles long which was a menace to navigation. She gave her position as latitude 43.05 north, longitude 58.15 west, or about 400 miles southeast of Halifax, N. S.

Coroner's Inquest Over Remington's Body
LOS ANGELES, Feb. 19.—The coroner's inquest over the body of Earle Remington, electrical engineer slain at his own doorway last Thursday night, was to be held here today. Police detectives said they would call a large number of witnesses, including practically every person they have questioned concerning the case. They did not state in advance, however, whether the widow, Mrs. Virginia Lola Stone Remington would be summoned.

Mrs. Raizen To Be Sentenced Tomorrow
NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Mrs. Lillian S. Raizen, who was convicted of second degree murder on Sunday by a "super-jury" in Brooklyn for the slaying of Dr. Abraham Glickstein, will be sentenced tomorrow. The penalty is 20 years to life imprisonment. It had been announced by mistake that Mrs. Raizen would be sentenced today and a throng stormed the courthouse corridors.

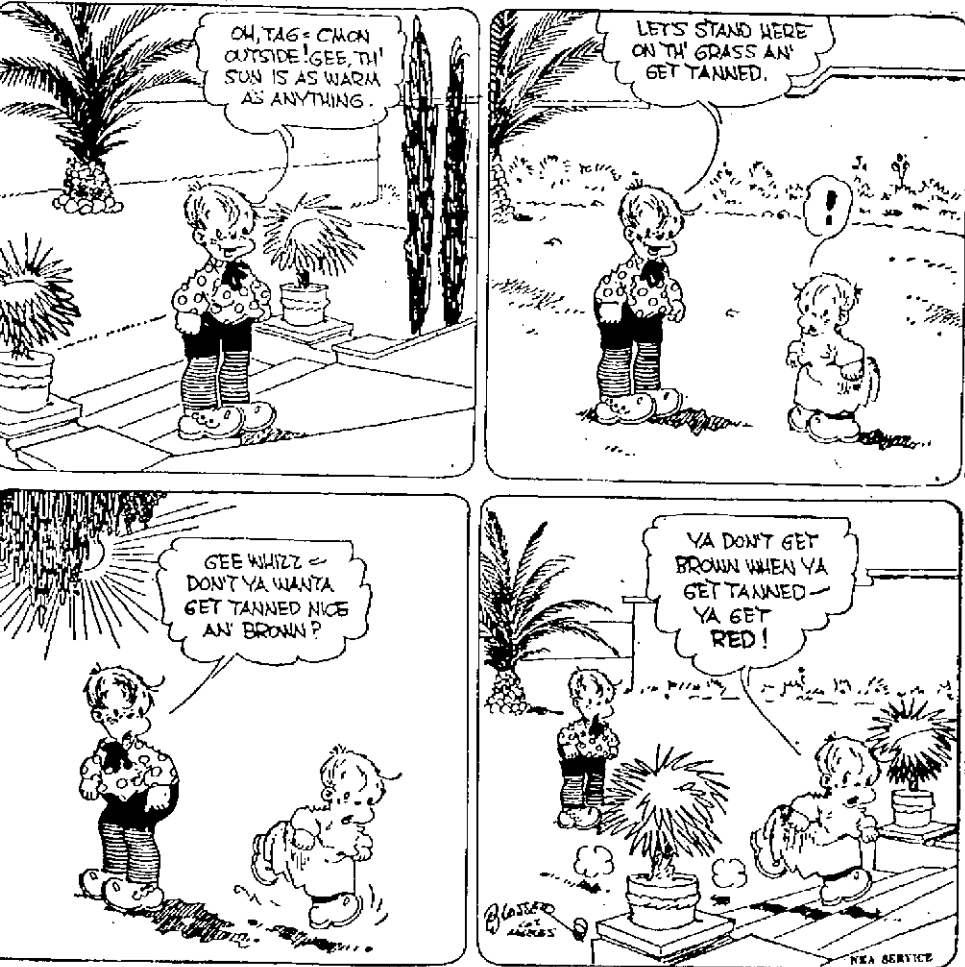
To Reorganize Government of Canton
HONG KONG, Feb. 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Sun Yat-sen, ex-president of South China, outlines to Sir Robert Ho Tung here today plans for reorganizing the government at Canton, which Dr. Sun will go Wednesday morning. The southern republican leader said he planned to abandon military expeditions, disbanding 50 per cent of the soldiers in Kwangtung province, re-employing them on road construction.

OUT OUR WAY



THE OLD WATCHMAN HAS JUST FOUND OUT THAT HE HAS A SPEAKING TUBE IN CONNECTION WITH HIS SHANTY.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



EXHIBITION BY ARTS AND CRAFTS CLASS

The annual exhibition of the arts and crafts class of the League of Catholic Women was held in the League rooms in Central street this afternoon and will be continued this evening and tomorrow afternoon and evening. An attractive display of fancy goods were on exhibition today and were inspected by large and admiring crowds. Through the courtesy of the Ron Marcha company, a Victrola concert was given. The exhibition is open to the public.

BONUS FOR CLERKS

A. E. O'Heir & Co. Distributes \$2000 To Employees
During the past week the firm of A. E. O'Heir and Co., distributed over \$2000 to their clerks, making a total amount of over \$10,000, which this firm has distributed among their salespeople in the last five years. Before giving out the checks, Mr. O'Heir told the clerks that they were not to consider that he was making them a gift, but what they were to receive was well earned by them. Speaking further, he said that no firm had a better or more loyal corps of assistants and that a large measure of the success of this store was due to efficient and courteous manner that they have served their customers. "That the firm was able to do this on the volume of business without increasing the percentage of profit to the customers was also very gratifying." Mr. O'Heir said he hoped that the present year would show an even greater increase in business than the one just passed, and assured them that their efforts will be recognized in proportion.

HAPPY COUPLE 25 YEARS WED

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Murphy, a popular couple well known in musical circles, have just closed 25 years of happily married life. They were formerly congratulated by their friends on the anniversary which occurred on Friday. The intensely cold weather prevented any formal observance, but Mr. and Mrs. Murphy contemplated a pleasure trip after the arrival of mild weather. At the time of their marriage, Mr. Murphy was connected with the Immaculate Conception choir and was leader of the Lowell Military band; but he later joined the St. Michael's church choir of which he has been director for many years and of which Mrs. Murphy had long been a distinguished soloist widely known as Miss Mabel Ware. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy have one son, Edward S., now a student at Harvard University. Mr. Murphy, although holding a responsible position at the United States Cartridge company, finds time to keep closely in touch with things musical throughout the city.

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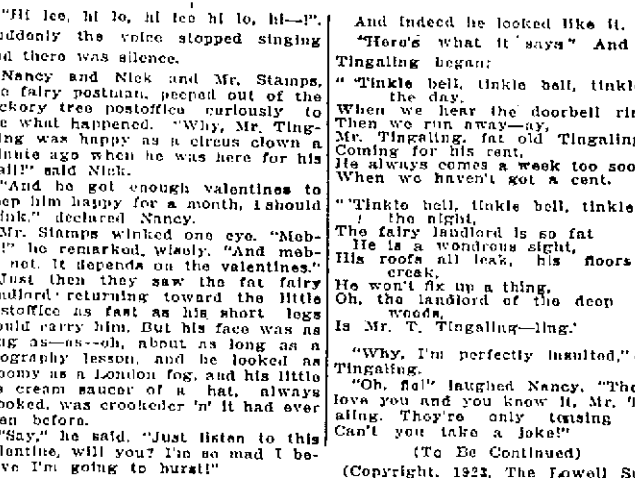
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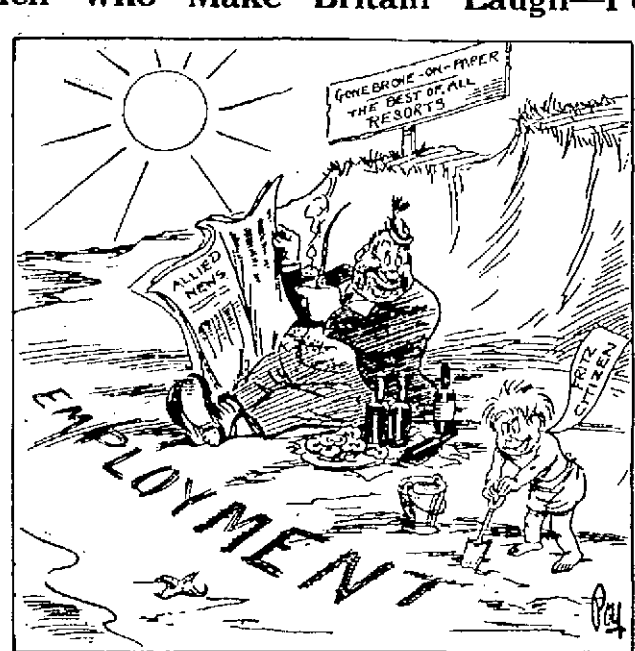
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Men Who Make Britain Laugh—Po



"Somewhere The Sun Is Shining." "Poy" labeled this cartoon, and he quotes "Father Hann," as saying: "That's right, Fritz, you dig in dar lovely sands while I read der paper to see which of der allies is going to pay my debts!" "Poy" adds, parenthetically, "Though skies are overcast at home it may be comforting to know it is not so everywhere."

BY MILTON BRONNER

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Every day thousands of readers of the Evening Standard turn first to see what "Poxy" has to say and draw about events. "Poxy's" pet subjects are bumptious Gauls, and latterly the Germans, as he sees it, are trying to get reparations payments to France. In his pro-French work he had the late Lord Northcliffe's hearty support, and he has been the latter's brother-in-law Northcliffe, who owns the Evening News, many other papers.

"Poxy" was born in 1874 in Shanghai, but that's the only Chinese thing about him. His father and mother came to his childhood back to New's were English and proud of it, and the same, "Poxy" himself might just be claimed as an American. His parents took him to New York in an early age and he grew up there.

He began his studies in the New York Art Students League studios, among such classmates as the since deceased E. C. Yohn, P. Luis Mora and James Montgomery Flagg. He studied also under the celebrated William M. Chase, at the Chase School of Art.

It was also in New York that he got his nickname. In private life he is known as Percy H. Pearson, but "Poxy" has stuck. "Poxy" which his classmates shortened off to "Poysce" and then to "Poxy," as it stuck, or he to it, as may be. More than 20 years ago "Poxy" journeyed to England and studied for a time under the renowned painter, Hubert Markham, a Russian.

His first cartoons appeared in "Judy," then a rival of "Punch," and now long defunct.

In 1905 he went to Manchester and did cartoons for the Evening Chronicle and Daily Dispatch.

In 1915 he joined the Northcliffe forces, his work appearing in the Evening News, Daily Mail and Western Dispatch.

For 13 years he has turned out cartoon a day, including Sunday without a blank.

"Poxy" isn't married. "When you readers see my picture they'll know why," he said, handing over his photograph.

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Legal Notices

You are hereby cited to appear at Probate Court to be held at Lowell in said County of Middlesex on the twentieth day of February A. D. 1923, at nine o'clock in the forenoon to show cause, if any you have why the same should not be granted.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

1923, 12, 19

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.

JOHN W. GUIBORD, Adm.

Address of Agent.
1 Sun Building, Lowell, Mass.
February 8, 1923

THE DUFFS



RELIEF FROM SEVERE COLD

Weather Bureau's Promise of Warmer Weather Hailed With Delight

BOSTON, Feb. 11.—Clear skies and moderating temperature with only a light wind which was working around into the southwest promised some relief today from conditions which caused much suffering afloat and ashore in New England over the week end. Off the coast, the most serious mishap was the enforced abandonment of the New Bedford-owned five-masted schooner *Santino*, bound from Norfolk for Boston, with coal when she sprang a leak and began to sink about 40 miles south of Nantucket lights. Her crew of 12 were picked up by the steamer *Egremont*, which proceeded with them for New York.

The steamer *Covelo*, bound from Norfolk for New Bedford with coal, got into difficulties in Buzzards bay. She touched bottom at the west end of Cuttyhunk island, freed herself some time later but was found to be leaking and was taken in tow by tugs from New Bedford which early today were trying to work her into port.

Vessels Fast in Ice

A number of schooners, tugs and barges were still fast in the ice today in Vineyard and Nantucket Sounds. On the Maine coast some of the ice-bound inlanders had been restored to communication with the mainland through the coast guard cutter *Ossinece*, which yesterday forced her way through to several Penobscot Bay islands, carrying a physician to one, removing a sick woman from another and opening a channel for steamers which took out to the isolated communities much needed provisions.

Towns Blockaded

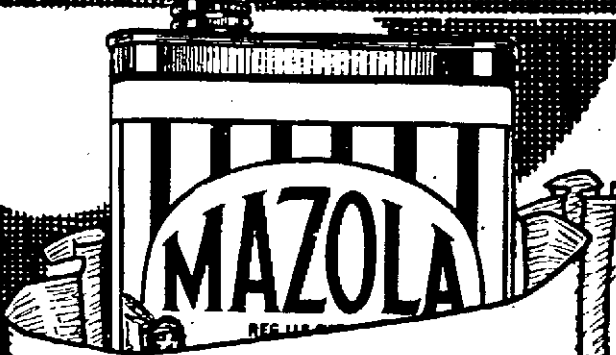
A number of seaport and river towns were blockaded with ice today and with fuel supplies running low, hailed eagerly the weather bureau's promise of warmer weather. Michoudin and Salem harbors were frozen over so solidly that it was impossible for coal barges to get through and Pawtucket, N. H., was a similar predicament because of the heavy river ice. In Boston the minimum temperature during last night was five above, but at 9 o'clock it had dropped to 13 and the official forecaster said the worst was over. The city is emerging from its most protracted period of severe cold this winter. Since last Wednesday night, the temperature has not risen above 25 and the minimum stood at 5 Friday morning, 2 Saturday and 4 Sunday, while the maximum yesterday was 16.

MAYOR OPPOSED TO THE PUTNAM BILL

Acting upon request of Mayor John J. Donovan, City Solicitor J. J. O'Sullivan will appear before a legislative committee at the state house tomorrow in opposition to the bill introduced by Senator Frank H. Putnam of Lowell, which would take city laborers from under civil service rules and regulations. Today the mayor received from the Municipal Employees' union a copy of a resolution passed by this body yesterday, requesting him, as mayor, to authorize the solicitor to appear at the hearing in defense of civil service in the interest of the laborers, and the mayor quickly took action upon it.

The mayor, himself, is opposed to the proposed bill and believes city laborers, many of whom have given years of faithful service to the city, should receive the same protection afforded by civil service laws, as accredited policemen and firemen, and for this reason was very glad to ask the solicitor to appear against the measure.

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DEATHS

FOYE—Mrs. Elizabeth (Hill) Foye, wife of William P. Foye, died Saturday after a brief illness at her home on Madison street. Mrs. Foye was well known in this city where she was born and educated and where she spent practically all her life. She was a devout attendant of St. Michael's church, having worshipped there since the inception of the parish. Besides her husband, she leaves one daughter, Mrs. James Gilligan of Allston; six sons, Edward H., J. Walter, William P. Jr., Paul L., Raymond L. and Arthur L. Murphy; and five grandchildren. The body was taken to the home of her son, Edward H. Foye, 137 Durant street, by undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

HUTCHINSON—Henry C. Hutchinson died yesterday at his home, 27 Royal street, aged 77 years. He was a member of Oberlin lodge, T.O.O.F., and Odd and White, both of which G.A.R. He leaves two nephews, Arthur C. Colby of Newton, Upper Falls and four sisters, Mrs. Fred A. Mather of Chelmsford, Mrs. George A. French of Los Angeles, Calif., Miss Grace Colby of Lowell and Mrs. Cecelia Charters of Lawrence. The body was removed to the chapel of Funeral Director John A. Weinbeck, 42 Middlesex street.

CHAMPAIGNE—Eugene Champaigne died this morning at the Lowell General hospital following an operation, aged 54 years. He was a well known restaurant proprietor with a place of business on Thordike street. He had been ill for some time. He leaves a wife, Rose, one son, Gustave; five brothers, Joe, Noe, of Jacksonville, Joseph, Jerome and Adeline, all of Lowell; and Adeline Champaigne of Boston. The body will be removed to his home, 135 Branch street by Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

BARRETT—Mrs. Rosa (Bedard) Barrette, wife of Eudaville Barrette, aged 89 years, died this morning at St. John's hospital. She leaves her husband, six daughters, Rita, Cecelia, Ella, Charlotte, Yvonne and Pauline; two sons, Omar and Marcel; her mother, Mrs. Sophia Bedard; two brothers, Edouard and Ernest; and a sister, Mrs. Joseph Bedard. She was a member of St. Anne's sodality of St. Louis' church. The body was removed to her home, 433 Alken avenue, by Undertakers Amesie Archambault & Sons.

DERMODY—Miss Nora Dermody, died Saturday at her home in Salem, Mass. She was formerly a resident of Lawrence, Mass. Deceased is survived by her parents, William and Catherine (Jordan) Dermody; three brothers, John, Lawrence and Michael; three sisters, Mrs. Michael Laughlin of Lawrence, and the Misses Catherine and Nora Dermody. The body will be brought to Lowell for burial in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery by Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

CHMIELEWSKA—Helena Chmielewska, wife of Wincenty Chmielewski, died yesterday morning at her home, 101 Blossom street, after a long illness. She leaves her husband, Stanislaw, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Krzyszyński, Michoudin, Brazil. She leaves to mourn her loss besides her husband, Wincenty, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanislaw Chmielewski, her brothers, Stanislaw, Stanislaw, Stanislaw and John. Her body was removed to her home, 101 Blossom street, by Undertaker Joseph Urbaneck.

O'LOUGHLIN—Miss Margaret O'Loughlin, a well known resident of this city, died Saturday evening at her home, 124 Chapel street. For many years she was an active member of St. Peter's church. She leaves two sisters, Mrs. Mary Haggerty and Miss Annie O'Loughlin, and one brother, Patrick H. O'Loughlin, the well known streamer of Truck 1, Lawrence street, also several nieces and nephews.

LAPHAM—Mrs. Elizabeth (McCarthy) Lapham, wife of Edward Lapham and a resident of New York City, died suddenly Feb. 10 at her home, 215 East 116th street, aged 30 years. Besides her husband she leaves two sons, Lester and Edward Lapham of New York city and one sister, Mrs. Ellen Brown of Cambridge. The body arrived in this city yesterday morning and was removed to the home of Undertakers Amesie Archambault & Sons.

CROWLEY—Patrick Crowley, a former well known employee of the city of Lowell, died Sunday morning at his home, 101 Blossom street, after a lingering illness. He leaves a wife, Mrs. Sarah (Graham) Crowley, three daughters, Mrs. John Flynn, Mrs. Thomas Coxton and Mrs. Arthur Shetter. He was a well known member of the Lowell Athletic club, 223 P.O.B.

WILLMAN—Mrs. Alice B. Willman, a well known resident of this city, died Saturday afternoon at her home, 13 Olive street after a brief illness. She leaves her husband, Clarence

FUNERAL NOTICE

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Six Giant Pitchers "Holding Out"

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Six holdout members of the New York Giants' pitching staff were missing today when the advance guard of battery men entrained for Marlin, Tex., for preliminary training. Jess Barnes, Jack Scott, Art Nehf, Virgil Barnes, Bill Ryan and Jack Bentley, the \$65,000 star purchased from Baltimore, were left behind. Hugh McQuil-lan was the only regular pitcher in the party, which included Pitchers Clinton Blumie, George Schesler and Fred Hamman; Catcher Alex Gaston and Joe Casey, veteran battery coach. The squad will be joined at St. Louis tomorrow night by Coach "Cozy" Dolan.

Cronkhite Charges Record "Falsified"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—A charge that the record of the autopsy over the body of his son, Major Alexander P. Cronkhite, was "falsified," was made today by Major General Adelbert Cronkhite, whose recent enforced retirement from active service is under inquiry by several members of the senate.

Victory for Child Labor Amendment

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Advocates of a child labor constitutional amendment won the first stage of their fight today when the senate judiciary committee ordered a favorable report on a committee resolution providing for submission of such an amendment to the states.



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SCHOOL HOUSES TO ATTRACT

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auditorium remained open
a specially prepared enter-
program last evening, but

Radio Broadcasts

STATION WGI, MEDFORD HILLSIDE
5 p. m.—"Children's Hour"—Help
and adventure stories read to music.
5.30 p. m.—Closing report on farm-
ers' produce and livestock markets;
butter and eggs reports (435 metres).
6 p. m.—Late news and sports.
6.15 p. m.—Code practice.
6.30 p. m.—Boston police reports.
6.45 p. m.—What "Washington Means
to the Youth of America," W. M.
Downey, headmaster of the English
high school of Boston.

STATION WNAC, BOSTON
4 p. m.—Dance music by the Shepard
Colonial orchestra. Selections on the
rhonograph and player-piano.
WNAC remains silent Monday even-
ing.

STATION WBAF, NEW YORK
7.30 p. m.—"Little Princess Dainty-
foot," a talk.
7.45 p. m.—Soprano solos by Isabel
Thorpe, mezzo soprano, accompanied
by Augusta R. Anderson. Program:
"Santuzza," from "Cavalleria
Rusticana" (Mascagni); "My Lover He
Comes on the Skee" (Leighton); "A
Little Song" (Voorhis).
8 p. m.—"What the Modern Indus-
trial Executive Has to Know," by Mr.
Nicholas Thell Ficker.
8.10 p. m.—Violin solos by Adolph
Schmidt, accompanied by Augusta R.
Anderson. Program: "Minuet" (Beu-
hoven); "Morceau" (Schmidt); "Ide-
bosfrud" (Kreutzer).

STATION WHAZ, TROY, N. Y.
8.15 p. m.—Program: March, "Il
Trovatore," Verdi-Tavan; Troy High
School orchestra; Richard P. Law, di-
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W. Gilbert, accompanist, Vernon W.
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prise Symphony," Haydn (Vivace As-
sai and Andante), Troy High School
orchestra; cello solo, "Cradle Song,"
Hamann; Gordon Lessels; Fantasia,
"Carmen," Bizet-Tavan; march, "Begu-
tiful Vienna," Schrammel; Troy High
School orchestra; Richard P. Law, di-
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SOUTH ENDS PLAN MINSTREL SHOW

The popular South End Social and
Athletic club is planning to stage a
minstrel show and several other enter-
tainments in the near future. A meet-
ing of the club was held yesterday to
discuss plans for social events of this
kind. The minstrel will rehearse Tues-
day evening under the direction of a
show producer from New York city.
The entertainment committee will meet
this evening at the club rooms.
"Irish Night" will be observed dur-
ing the week of March 17 and a splen-
did program will be provided for mem-
bers and friends.

only a handful of men and women were
present to enjoy it.
It was the mayor's idea that these
public buildings, warm and comfort-
able, would give hundreds of people an
opportunity to escape the intense win-
ter weather that has held the city in a
grip of ice for the past three or four
days, but although the idea might have
been sound, the result was nil.

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For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears
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Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

This Laxative Works Fine on Old People

Thousands have kept themselves healthy with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin

ADVANCING age with its subdued ambitions and strivings could be made very happy if only good health accom-
panied it, and the basis of good health, as every-
one learns upon reaching the age of 60, is the regu-
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effected through
the food you eat,
the water you
drink and the ex-
ercise you take,
so much the better. But if
nature will not operate it must
be assisted or sickness will follow.
Neglected constipation causes the
blood pressure to go up 28 per-
cent, and that is the forerunner
of hardening of the arteries. It
makes rheumatism and gout
worse, too.



The ideal constipation remedy for people of advancing years is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a vegetable compound of Egyptian senna and pepsin with pleasant-tasting aromatics. It is gentle and mild, and does not cramp or gripe. It is a mistake to think you need a violent salt or powder or pill, calomel, coal-tar drugs and such things. They purge and

ANY FAMILY MAY TRY IT FREE

Thousands of parents are asking themselves, "Where can I find a trust-
worthy laxative that anyone in the
family can use when constipated?"
I urge you to try Syrup Pepsin.
I will gladly provide a liberal free
sample bottle, sufficient for an adequate
test. Write me where to send it.
Address Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 515
Washington St., Monticello, Illinois.
Do it now!

weaken you, and their reaction
tends to make you more consti-
pated than before.

Now try the milder method:
Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin does
not lose its good effect with re-
peated use, and increased doses
are unnecessary. Mrs. E. M.
Burgess of Enfield, N. C., who is
73, keeps herself in good health
with it, and Mr. Charles Chorman
of Stapleton, Staten Island, N. Y.,
wasted fifteen years and consid-
erable money on other remedies
before finding steady relief with
Syrup Pepsin.

Use Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pep-
sin yourself the next time you
suffer from constipation, bilious-
ness, headache, sleeplessness, in-
digestion, piles or night cramps.
Many thousands of elderly people
use nothing else, and it costs them
less than a cent a dose. Druggists
have sold it successfully for 30
years, and it is the most widely
bought family laxative in the
world.

TAKE DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN The family laxative



SAY "BAYER" when you buy Aspirin

Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package of tablets you are not get-
ting the genuine Bayer product pre-
scribed by physicians over 22 years and
proved safe by millions for colds, head-
ache, toothache, earache, neuralgia,
umbago, rheumatism, neuritis, and for
pain in general. Accept only "Bayer"
package which contains proper direc-
tions. Handy boxes of twelve tablets
cost few cents. Druggists also sell bot-
tles of 24 and 100. Aspirin is the trade
mark of Bayer Manufacture of Mono-
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COLDS

"Pape's Cold Compound" Breaks a Cold in Few Hours

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing
and snuffling! Take "Pape's Cold
Compound" every two hours until
three doses are taken. The first dose
opens clogged-up nostrils and air pas-
sages of head; stops nose running; re-
lieves headache, dullness, feverishness,
sneezing. The second and third doses
usually break up the cold completely
and end all grippe misery.
"Pape's Cold Compound" is the
quickest, surest relief known and
costs only a few cents at drug stores.
Tastes nice. Contains no quinine.
Insist upon Pape's.—Adv.

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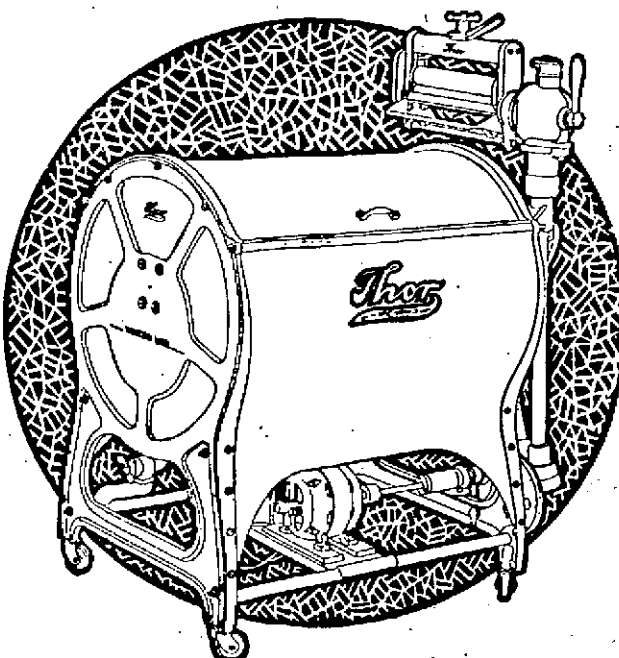
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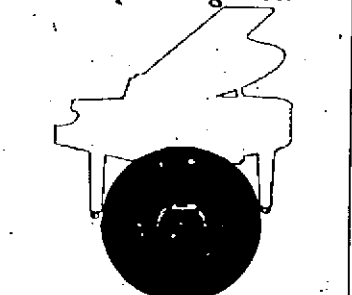


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Y. M. C. I. HOLDS WELL
ATTENDED MEETING

A well attended meeting of the members of the Y.M.C.I. was held in the club rooms in Stackpole street yesterday afternoon. Treasurer Lyons read an interesting report of the recent carnival of colors conducted in the Auditorium under Y.M.C.I. auspices. The event was socially and financially successful and the institute wishes to thank all those who contributed. The membership, building and tournament committees all reported progress. Martin O'Connell is leading the bowlers in the contest for high honor with a three-throw total of 335. Preparations are being made by Brothers McCaffrey and Doyle for an Irish night on March 15.

PRESENTED PURSE OF GOLD
Leo Keller, who for a number of years has been employed as a clerk in the stores department of the B. & M. carehous in Billerica, and who has severed his connections with the railroad to accept a position in the city, was agreeably surprised Saturday afternoon at the shops by his fellow workers, when he was presented a purse of gold as a token of esteem.

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A Reproducing Piano

Brunswick has achieved true piano tones in phonographic reproduction. Notes so clear, so unmistakable that you believe a piano is in the room. Go today to any Brunswick dealer and ask to hear a record by Leopold Godowsky, Eddy Ney, great pianists of the New Hall of Fame. They will prove a revelation. Brunswick records play on all phonographs. They are the world's truest reproductions.

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COAL FAMINE
IS THREATENED

Fuel Head Implores Federal Government to Aid Blackstone Valley, R. I.

Barges Laden With Coal Cannot Break Through Pawtucket River Channel

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Feb. 19.—Pawtucket and the Blackstone valley are threatened with a coal famine unless steps are quickly taken to open up the Pawtucket river channel which is now covered with seven inches of ice. Federal Fuel Administrator George H. Webb has implored federal assistance to get the ice broken up.

No mills have been closed because of the shortage of coal, but unless steps are received at once, several will be obliged to shut down. Many residents are in actual want and the local fuel administrator has issued 500 preferential orders within the past four weeks. Coal dealers say they have practically no coal on hand and cannot fill many of the preferential orders.

Two barges laden with over 1000 tons are at the mouth of the river waiting for a channel to be cleared. A government tug which left Newport this morning for the Pawtucket river to assist in ice breaking, was forced to turn back when about a mile outside of Melville station.

Col. Webb has telegraphed to the Charleston navy yard for a steel vessel and expects it to arrive this evening.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
"Jean Valjean," principal character in Victor Hugo's "Les Misérables," will be the topic of a lecture to be given this evening at the First Congregational church by the pastor, Rev. Percy E. Thomas. The public is invited and the proceeds of the evening will be devoted to the relief of the coal famine. An organ recital will be given in the early part of the evening.

Not to Appoint Sen. New to Cabinet

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—President Harding was said by his friends today to have virtually decided not to appoint Senator Harry S. New of Indiana to a place in the cabinet.

BONUS FOR CLERKS

A. E. O'Heir & Co. Distributes \$2000 To Employees

During the past week the firm of A. E. O'Heir & Co. distributed over \$2000 to their clerks, making a total amount of over 10,000 which this firm has distributed among their salespeople in the last five years.

Before giving out the checks, Mr. O'Heir told the clerks that they were not to consider that they were making them a gift, but that they were to receive a well earned by them. Speaking further, he said that up firm had better or choosing the corps of assistants and that a large measure of the success of this store was due to the efficient and courteous manner that they have served their customers.

The firm was able to do this on the basis of business without increasing the percentage of profit to the customers was also very gratifying. Mr. O'Heir said he hoped that the present year would show an even greater increase in business than the one just passed, and assured them that their efforts will be recognized in proportion.

GENTLEMEN'S NIGHT
AT GIRLS' CITY CLUB

The Girls' City club held their first "gentlemen's night" at the club rooms last Saturday night, and a large audience was present to enjoy the entertainment.

Miss Mabel Hogan and Miss Annabell Maughn entertained with a number of popular songs and fancy dancing steps. A humorous recitation by Miss Violet Hickson and a song by William Hickey were well received. Several recitations by Miss Doris Conley were given and she received hearty applause for her splendid entertainment. Paul Angelo accompanied the various entertainers.

A special hour was then in order and following this a luncheon was served, closing the evening's entertainment in a most pleasing way.

The committee in charge of the entertainment was as follows: Misses Nellie Thomas, Eva LeBlanc, Evelyn Tremblay, Mae Rooney, Mary Martin, Margaret Castile, Alice C. Loney, Mary McCarthy and Elmore LeBlanc.

The nominating committee of the club met yesterday and the following list of candidates was prepared for the annual election to be held March 12:

President, Mary Martin, Anna O'Leary and Cathryn O'Neil.
Vice president, Mary McCarthy, Alice O'Brien and Margaret Price.

Treasurer—Elmore LeBlanc, Katherine Sullivan and Mabel Sullivan.
Corresponding secretary, Gertrude Corkery, Helen Latour and Margaret Rooney.

Financial secretary, Alice Butler, Frieda Kenney and Marie Lussier.

HAPPY COUPLE

25 YEARS WED

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Murphy, a popular couple well known in musical circles, have just closed 25 years of happy married life. They were informally congratulated by their friends on the anniversary which occurred on Friday. The intensely cold weather prevented any formal observance, but Mr. and Mrs. Murphy contemplate a pleasure trip after the arrival of mild weather. At the time of their marriage, Mr. Murphy was connected with the Immassatula Conception choir and was leader of the Lowell Military band; but he later joined the St. Michael's church choir of which he has been director for many years and of which Mrs. Murphy had long been a distinguished soloist. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy have one son, Edward S., now a student at Harvard university. Mr. Murphy, although holding a responsible position at the United States Cartridge company, finds time to keep closely in touch with things musical throughout the city.

EXHIBITION BY ARTS
AND CRAFTS CLASS

The annual exhibition of the arts and crafts class of the League of Catholic Women was held in the League rooms in Central street this afternoon and will be continued this evening and tomorrow afternoon and evening. An attractive display of fancy goods were on exhibition today and were inspected by large and admiring crowds. Through the courtesy of the Bon Marche company a Victrola concert was given. The exhibition is open to the public.

FIRE ALARMS

The alarm from box 52 Saturday evening at 9:21 o'clock was for a blaze in a bed at 141 East Merrimack street. The damage was slight. At 10:02 o'clock yesterday morning a telephone alarm was sent in for a chimney fire at 160 Andover street. At 6:03 o'clock last evening a false alarm was sounded from box 52, which is temporarily replacing box 45, which is out for repairs, and at 9:40 o'clock the firemen were given needless run to 4 Liberty street, where they were summoned by an alarm from box 41. In this case a passerby saw a reflection in a window of the house and sounded the alarm. It was found that the reflection was caused by a blaze in the stove.

STOMACH UPSET?

Get at the Real Cause—Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

That's what thousands of stomach sufferers are doing now. Instead of taking tonics, or trying to pace up a poor digestion, they are attacking the real cause of the ailment—clogged liver and disordered bowels. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets arouse the liver in a soothing, healing way. When the liver and bowels are performing their natural functions, away goes indigestion and stomach troubles. Have you a bad taste, coated tongue, poor appetite, a lazy, don't-care feeling, no ambition or energy, trouble with undigested foods? Take Olive Tablets, the substitute for cathartics. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound made of olive oil. They do the work without griping, cramps or pain. Take one or two at bedtime for quick relief. Eat what you like, live and sleep. Adv.

Six Giant Pitchers "Holding Out"

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Six holdout members of the New York Giants' pitching staff were missing today when the advance guard of battery men entrained for Marlin, Tex., for preliminary training. Jess Barnes, Jack Scott, Art Nehf, Virgil Barnes, Bill Ryan and Jack Bentley, the \$55,000 star purchased from Baltimore, were left behind. Hugh McQuillan was the only regular pitcher in the party, which included Pitchers Clinton Blume, George Schesler and Fred Hamman; Catcher Alex Gaston and Joe Casey, veteran battery coach. The squad will be joined at St. Louis tomorrow night by Coach "Cozy" Dolan.

Cronkhite Charges Record "Falsified"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—A charge that the record of the autopsy over the body of his son, Major Alexander P. Cronkhite, was "falsified," was made today by Major General Adelbert Cronkhite, whose recent enforced retirement from active service is under inquiry by several members of the senate.

Victory for Child Labor Amendment

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Advocates of a child labor constitutional amendment won the first stage of their fight today when the senate judiciary committee ordered a favorable report on a committee resolution providing for submission of such an amendment to the states.

Cuticura Quickly Clears
The Scalp of Dandruff

On retiring, gently rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with a suds of Cuticura Soap and hot water. This treatment does much to keep the scalp clean and healthy and promote hair growth.
Sample Each Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories," Dept. 118, Malden, Mass. Sold every where. Price 25c. Ointment 50c. Soap 25c. 3000 Cuticura Soap shows without name.

A. G. Pollard Co.

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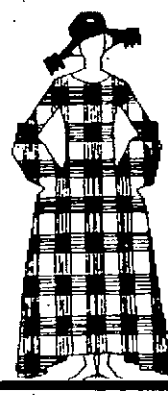
New Spring Wash Fabrics
Are Ranged in All Their Refreshing Loveliness

A wonderful choice of wash fabrics for spring wardrobes. For now are the days when one looks longingly ahead to the new wardrobes, and longs to fashion some now.

We have provided for every wish in this collection—

PRISCILLA NOVELTY CREPE—36 inches wide, white ground, with the following colors in plaid effects: Old Rose, Medium Blue, Green, Lavender, Gold and Black. Price 98¢ Yard

CHECKSPUN VOILE—36 inches wide, in plain colors and raline plaid. Priced 98¢ Yard

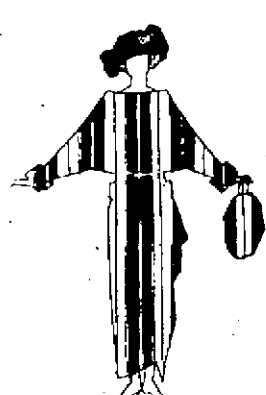


POLYANNA NOVELTY VOILE—36 inches wide, small checks, pastel shades, with fine raline plaid effect. Price 98¢ Yd.

NOVELTY VOILE—36 inches wide, with a very pretty raline plaid. Price 75¢ Yd.

RATINE—Imported and domestic. We've all the wanted plain colors, also a handsome line of plaids which are very much in demand for spring. Prices 59¢ to \$1.50 Yd.

Palmer Street Store

LEARN THE
PROPER USE
OF COSMETICS

The well bred woman of today recognizes the necessity of cosmetics quite as much as she understands the value of a suitable diet.

She treats them in much the same way, appreciating that her skin or her hair needs the tonic of carefully selected, healthful creams, soaps or lotions, quite as her body requires the tonic of properly chosen foods.

And that is why

Miss Washburn is here for the next week, to tell you the merits of

RICHARD HUDNUT'S TOILET
PREPARATIONS

And How to Use Them to Get Satisfactory Results:

RIDE UP TO THE FOURTH
FLOOR
The New Location of
RUGS AND DRAPERIES

The lightest and most attractive sales floor of its kind in this vicinity.

Easily Reached by the elevator.

Linens, New and Crisp

A harvest of fresh linens awaits you in this group. For the summer home, for the replenishing of linen closets, or the odd pieces that give freshness to the whole, this collection is amply able to supply every need, at prices that are surprisingly modest.

ALL LINEN PATTERN CLOTHS—72x70, a good quality cloth, well finished and of good appearance. Rose pattern only, \$5.98 Each

MERCERIZED DAMASK—72 inch wide, in three new all-over patterns. Fine weave and permanent finish, 89¢ yd.

LINEN GLASS TOWELING—Best quality Brookfield linen, in three styles of checks, in either blue or red, 49¢ yd.

ECRU EMBROIDERY LINEN—18 inches wide, fine close weave and smooth finish. Medium shade, 50¢ yd.

FLANNEL—Very finest silk warp flannel obtainable, pure blue, 27 inches wide, \$1.98 yd.

FLANNEL—Very fine all wool flannel, 32 inches wide, \$1.39 yd.

TURKISH TOWELS—High grade double thread towels of medium size, in plain white, \$3.15 doz.

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This ideal combination is quite possible for you at very little cost. You will find the crepe de chine and other suitable materials—printed silks, cotton crepe—at our piece-goods counter, and the dress pattern at our Butterick Pattern counter. The Deltor enclosed with your pattern will show you how to make the dress—catch up the drapery, make the beaded ornament—everything from start to finish.

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MOTHER, CLEAN CHILD'S BOWELS
WITH "CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP"

Even Cross, Feverish, Sick Children Love its Taste and it Never Fails to Empty Little Bowels

Hurry, mother! A teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup" today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. If your child is constipated, bilious, fretful, has cold, colic, or if stomach is sour, tongue coated, breath bad, remember a good liver and bowel action is often all that is necessary. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup." It never cramps or overacts. Full directions for babies and children of all ages are printed on each bottle. Say "California," or you may get an imitation fig syrup. Adv.



SUMMARY OF EARLY
MORNING A. P. NEWS

Twenty-two insane men and three attendants, trapped by falling water tank, are burned to death in hospital fire on Ward's Island, East River, N. Y.

Mrs. Lillian S. Raiken of Brooklyn, is found guilty of murder in second degree for death of Dr. Abraham Glickstein.

Rev. Percy Stickney Grant criticizes attitude of American small town in his controversy with Bishop Manning of New York.

International Education board, recently founded by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., gives \$1,500,000 to teacher's college, Columbia university.

Miss Alice Davis, 72, of Whitehall, N. Y., is found frozen to death with no coal in her house, her attempt to start fire with green wood having failed.

House of Commandant McCabe at Rathfriland, Dublin county, is blown up by mine and Senator Lenthian's home near Killybegs is burned by raiders.

Queen Elizabeth of Belgium is among notable visitors who enter tomb of Egyptian king.

Poles invade Lithuania and many are killed in battle, according to Kovno dispatch to Lithuanian legation in Paris.

Berlin government takes drastic steps to stop increase in price of food and coal of metals has already fallen in face of threats against profiteers.

LOWELL PASTOR WILL
GO TO WELLESLEY

Rev. John J. Callan, who came to St. Anne's Episcopal church last May as curate, has been appointed rector of St. Andrew's church, Wellesley, and will leave Lowell on March 16. Rev. Mr. Callan's appointment is in line with a new policy adopted by the church authorities of placing ministers who seem particularly suited to the needs of college students in charge of churches in college towns.

MERRIMACK SQUARE
NOW PLAYING

GLORIA SWANSON
—IN—
"My American Wife"

JACK HOLT
—IN—
"Making a Man"

PRICES: Orchestra 20c; Loges and 5 rows of balcony, 20c; remainder of balcony, 15c.
EVENINGS: Orchestra 30c; Loges and 5 rows of balcony, 35c; remainder of balcony, 25c.

WHERE
Paramount Pictures
DOMINATE

ROYAL
MONDAY AND TUESDAY

LOTTIE PICKFORD
—IN—
"THEY SHALL PAY"

The strange story of a girl who fell in love with a man she had sworn to ruin. Six acts.

DUSTIN FARNUM
—IN—
"The Yosemite Valley"

A William Fox play. Six acts.

COMEDY-NEWS-OTHERS

CROWN
THEATRE

News for Today and Tuesday

ALICE BRADY
—IN—
"ANNA ASCENDS"

See a poor immigrant girl win fame and fortune by dint of hard work.

DUSTIN FARNUM in
"OATHBOUND"

CHARLIE CHAPLIN in
"WORK"

And Serial

Gaiety
THEATRE

THE GREAT RACING
CLASSIC
The Kentucky Derby

All-star cast.

Carroll Holloway
—IN—
The Greater Duty

COMEDY — NEWS

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LENTEN SERVICE BY REV.
DR. CALEB E. FISHER

The value of moral courage, the great reality of whole-hearted living and working out one's own salvation—"For it is God who worketh in you both to will and to work"—were some of the human subjects associated with present-day life in the walks of mankind forcefully emphasized in simple language by Rev. Dr. Caleb E. Fisher yesterday morning in the pulpit of the First Universalist church. The pastor's Lenten sermon topic was "Christ's Temptation and Ours."

The sermon, rich in homely phrases and axioms, touched upon the simple problems of the family and home, referred to the strong call for definiteness of belief in Christ and the story of Christ's patient self-sacrificing work upon the earth, and also touched upon some of the "luxuries of modern life and the selfishness of religious belief."

Dr. Fisher mentioned the utter instability of certain unpalatable political conditions in present day public affairs and emphasized the need of a stronger, healthier, and clearer public spirit on the part of all who make up a great community. He praised those valiant souls in the walks of mankind who give themselves wholeheartedly to the task of maintaining simple and more Christian homes, filled with loyalty, good-will and the spirit of service.

The pastor also referred to the need of personal acceptance and support of the teachings of Christ, laying before his congregation the opportunity of these Lenten days and setting aside room for Christ's teachings to perform blessed work.

Christians—A strong support of the leadership of Christ—strengthening mind and the world, said the pastor. Crises in human lives there ever will be as there always has been, he continued, but the crosses must be borne unflinchingly.

The pastor touchingly described the visit of Jesus Christ to the wilderness, where he was tempted of the devil. The sermon, in fact, was based principally on that portion of chapter 4, verse one, of the gospel of St. Matthew, wherein the latter wrote:

"Then was Jesus led up of the spirit into the wilderness to be tempted of the devil."

Dr. Fisher declared that the faith of Christ in withstanding temptation was due to his loyalty to God and his belief in the power of God. And the great silence of the wilderness only strengthened the Saviour's power of resisting to evil forces and kept him to the faith.

Dr. Fisher declared that "we, too, have the same access to God, and I say it reverently," Christ's great humanity was the power of God bestowed upon us all through Christ, he said. In the hustle and hurry of every-day life, some of life's most important meanings are overlooked. It were well that men would enter "the silence of the wilderness." It would give them greater physical and mental power and also the divine solace of peace.

"Some men," the pastor continued, "have extraordinary physical powers—like prize-fighters, for example. Some men have fine brains, yet they are intellectual feeblers. And you will find men seated behind 75-horsepower and motor cars carrying possibly 24 gallons of gas, yet they may be perfect fools. These are things we are apt to call 'power.'"

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must ask himself, how must I use the power I am endowed with? If he has a fortune what shall he do with it? How shall he use it? He may be a genius; how will he use that endowment? Man's power in all its variety must be used for the greatest good of all."

Dr. Fisher referred briefly to the frequent endowment of public men with great political power and their failure to use that power in a way that will do most for the public good. He said the abuse of political power was well known "in our own city." The workings of political power, he continued, as it exerts itself today in great communities, is really one of the greatest evils of the twentieth century, the pastor declared.

He emphasized at length the power of real Christianity and the great coming of the Son of God, "which has brought real power of genuine helpful service to mankind and possessions of untold value that God distributes to one and all." Christianity, the pastor added, is energy, progress and love.

"Political corruption has caused many in the world to hate each other," Dr. Fisher continued. He praised the "golden rule" and spoke of a recent convention of Baptist church faithfuls, who passed resolutions calling for the expunction of all members who refuse to carry out the precepts of the "genuine golden rule in life." He declared this not on the part of Christian people to be a step in the right direction.

Christ had an opportunity, like Napoleon and other leaders of men, to apply to be king of the world and to apply power on earth in other directions than in religious beliefs, if he had seen fit. Dr. Fisher said he could have been a king in truth, but he did not fit his aspiration. He was the son of God and as such he remained.

Dr. Fisher pictured the Master walking slowly, pale and haggard, from the wilderness where he fought the devil and vanquished him—walked forth erect and serene in the sunshine of God, the victor over temptation and the forces of evil.

"That was your temptation and mine," the pastor said in closing, "and we have temptations to face in this busy season as always."

It is closed by appealing to all men to walk uprightly, firm in the faith and in the teachings of Christ, whose service in the world is far-reaching and without end.

LOCAL MARKET LOSES
VALUABLE HORSE

Delivery clerks at the Depot Cash markets are mourning the loss of one of the best equines that ever drew a grocery wagon or a market pump in Lowell or vicinity. There was genuine mourning when Harry Bogdonoff announced the death of Belle, a chestnut mare about 7 years old, who was so badly injured in a mishap with a street car that she died Saturday night.

The horse was driven by Henry Pignone, an employee of the Depot Cash market, and the car was in charge of Victor H. Patrick. The market man was driving toward Lowell on Westford street and was approaching the corner of Florence avenue, when an outward-bound Westford street car crashed head-on into the chestnut mare.

The horse was knocked down and jumped backward against the market pump, damaging the pump and throwing the driver into a snowbank. The pump was partially broken with groceries. The driver had been delivering goods at Tyler park and was on his way back to the city.

The horse was in bad shape when it crashed. Its feet, but no legs were broken. The injury was received on the head, however, were of such serious nature that the veterinarian who viewed the injured animal later at Shaker's stable on Middlesex street declared that death would be the best thing for the faithful market horse.

The Bogdonoffs valued the animal at \$350, and said today they never owned a finer horse on their delivery circuits.

ENFORCEMENT OF
REAR LIGHT LAW

(Special to The Sun.)
BOSTON, Feb. 16. Rigid enforcement of the motor vehicle rear light law, requiring each machine to be equipped with a light approved by the registrar of motor vehicles, is the future policy of Registrar Frank A. Goodwin.

As evidence of his determination that the law shall be obeyed, the registrar has summoned forty-one motor vehicle owners to appear before him in Boston during the present week to answer to charges that they have not complied with the requirements.

In the case of those who are unable to show that their machines are properly equipped, the registrar will revoke their registrations.

Of the number summoned, eight appeared before the registrar today; thirteen more have been summoned for Wednesday; and twenty will make their excuses to Mr. Goodwin on Friday.

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CATHOLIC NEWS

The quarterly communion for the members of St. Vincent de Paul society of this city took place yesterday morning at the 9 o'clock mass at Notre Dame de Lourdes church in Branch street. Rev. Lucien Brassard, O.M.I., celebrated the mass and the sermon was delivered by Rev. Nore LaFamme, O.M.I., of Montreal. There were about 150 delegates present at the service representing the various locals of the order, and during the service a special musical program was given by the choir.

At the close of the mass all repaired to the parish hall in East Pine street, where breakfast was served, and a short address delivered by Rev. Fr. O'Connor of Boston, a former chaplain in the United States army in France, who is now chaplain of all the welfare work of the archdiocese of Boston.

The monthly communion for the members of the Notre Dame de Lourdes society was held at the 7:30 o'clock mass in the evening of 6:30 o'clock the annual mission for the married women of the parish was opened by the pastor, Rev. Guillaume Ouellette, O.M.I., who announced that special services will be conducted every evening at 7 o'clock and every morning at 8 o'clock. He also stated that next week will be devoted to the unmarried ladies of the parish and the following week services will be conducted for the married and unmarried men. The mission is in charge of Rev. Fr. LaFamme, O.M.I.

The 6 and 7 o'clock masses in St. Patrick's church yesterday were celebrated by Rev. James A. Supple, D.D. Rev. George O'Connor, director of the Catholic charity bureau of Boston was the celebrant of the 8:30 o'clock mass. The children's mass at 9 o'clock was celebrated by Rev. Thomas J. McDonough, and the 9:30 o'clock mass by Rev. Joseph A. Curran. Rev. John J. McGarry, D.C.I., pastor, celebrated the high mass at 11 o'clock. Rev. Fr. McDonough preached the sermon. Lenten devotions will be held on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock and will consist of the recitation of the rosary, sermon and benediction. Stations of the cross will be held Friday evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

At the Immaculate Conception church yesterday, the 8 and 7 o'clock masses were celebrated by Rev. Owen P. McQuaid, O.M.I. The 8 o'clock mass was celebrated by Rev. William A. Higgins, O.M.I. Bishop E. B. Ledyard of Corpus Christi, Texas, was the celebrant of the 9 o'clock mass. The 10 and 11 o'clock masses were celebrated by Rev. Fr. Lawrence E. Tight, O.M.I., pastor. Lenten devotions were held last evening. Rosary, sermon and benediction will comprise the Wednesday evening devotions, while stations of the cross will be held Friday evening.

Rev. Peter T. Linnahan, celebrant of the children's mass at 8 o'clock in St. Peter's church yesterday, was the celebrant of the 9 o'clock mass. The high mass at 11 o'clock was celebrated by Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan, and the sermon was preached by Rev. Fr. Shea. Lenten devotions will be held on Tuesday evening of this week instead of Wednesday as originally planned. Beginning at 7:30 o'clock, the devotions will consist of rosary, sermon and benediction. Stations of the cross will be held Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock and Friday mass for deceased members of the Knights of Columbus will be held on Washington's birthday at 9:30.

In St. Michael's church yesterday, the 8 o'clock mass was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. John J. Shaw. Members of the Immaculate Conception sodality received communion at this mass, Rev. Aloysius G. Madden assisting the pastor in this respect. The high mass at 11 o'clock was sung by Rev. Thomas J. Heagney and the sermon delivered by Rev. Fr. Madden. The usual Lenten devotions, begun last Wednesday evening, will be continued this week. At 3:45 Friday afternoon stations of the cross will be held for the children of the parish and in the evening at 7:30 o'clock for adults.

Rev. Charles E. Barry, O.M.I., was the celebrant of the 7:30 and 8:30 o'clock masses in the Sacred Heart church yesterday. The Holy Angels and the Infant Jesus sodalities received communion at the 8:30 mass, Rev. John P. Flynn assisting Rev. Fr. Barry. The 9:30 and 11 o'clock masses were celebrated by Rev. Fr. N. McGann, O.M.I. Rev. Fr. Flynn assisted at the masses. Lenten devotions were held last evening.

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held at 8:30 last night. On Wednesday evening at 7:30 similar devotions will be held, while stations of the cross will be held Friday evening at the same hour.

The 6 and 7:30 o'clock masses in St. Margaret's church yesterday were celebrated by Rev. William P. Drennon. Rev. Andrew F. O'Brien celebrated the 9 and 11 o'clock masses, and the children's mass in the chapel was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Charles J. Galligan. Rosary, sermon and benediction will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 and stations of the cross Friday evening.

At St. Columba's church yesterday, Rev. James M. Somers celebrated the 7:30 and 8 o'clock masses. Rev. Patrick J. Hally, pastor, celebrated the 9 and 11 o'clock masses, and the children's mass in the chapel was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Charles J. Galligan. Rosary, sermon and benediction will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 and stations of the cross Friday evening.

The annual Lenten mission for the married women of St. Louis church opened last evening at 6:30 o'clock and will continue all this week with special services in the morning and evening. The announcement at last evening's services were made by the pastor, Rev. J. H. Laborsiere, while the sermon was delivered by Rev. Fr. Reginald, O.P. Services will be held at 7 o'clock every evening while in the morning a special mass will be celebrated at 8 o'clock for the married women of the parish. The parish mass yesterday was celebrated by Rev. E. J. Vincent, while the sermon was given by Rev. Fr. Reginald. The monthly communion for the members of St. Anne's sodality will take place next Sunday morning at the 6 o'clock mass.

At all the masses at St. Jeanne d'Arc church yesterday the pastor, Rev. Leon Ouellette, O.M.I., who was recently appointed head of the church, spoke to his parishioners, telling them of his pleasure in taking charge of the new parish. He also extended his thanks to all for the magnificent gift he was presented last Friday evening and he asked the co-operation of all for the advancement of the parish. The reverend gentlemen, who celebrated the first mass, also announced the changes in the hours of masses for Sundays, saying that hereafter there will be five masses every Sunday instead of four as heretofore, the hours of the services to be held as follows: 6, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 and 11 o'clock. Announcement was also made that the annual Lenten mission for the parishioners will begin next Sunday evening and will last four weeks. The first week will be for the married women and Rev. Charles Donahue, O.M.I., will be in charge. The parish mass was celebrated by Rev. Aurelien Merrill, O.M.I.

Rev. Fr. Laferriere, O.M.I., of Hudson, N. Y., was the celebrant of the parish mass at St. Joseph's church yesterday, while Rev. Armand Baron, O.M.I., delivered the sermon on the gospel of the day. It was announced that the monthly communion for the members of St. Anne's sodality will take place next Sunday morning. Lenten devotions will be conducted Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7:15 o'clock.

The celebrant of the parish mass at St. Jean Baptiste church was Rev. L. G. Bouchard, O.M.I., while the pastor, Rev. J. E. Threotte, O.M.I., delivered the sermon. At the 6:30 o'clock mass the members of the Children of Mary sodality received their monthly communion in a body.

Rev. Joseph Denis, O.M.I., celebrated all masses at St. Marie's church yesterday. The monthly communion for the members of the Third Order of St. Francis was held at the early mass.

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MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES' UNION

President Daniel Moynihan accepted the chair at yesterday afternoon's meeting of the Municipal Employees' Union, which was held in Trades and Labor hall. Twelve applications for membership were received and seven new members were initiated. The civil service bill sponsored by Senator Putnam of this city and which calls for the abolition of civil service rules for city laborers was discussed at length and the organization went on record as being opposed to the measure and Attorney Patrick J. Reynolds was empowered to oppose the bill in behalf of the union at the hearing to be held tomorrow. The following committee will co-operate with Mr. Reynolds in trying to prevent the passage of the bill: President Moynihan, George W. Gordon and Richard Flynn.

WRESTLING UNDER FIRE

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Wrestling in the western conference was under fire today. Elmer E. Jones, director of the school of education at Northern university in a statement charged that college wrestling has become effeminate.

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dead sport," he declared. "The man who

Police Chief Gets Second K. K. K. Threat

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, Feb. 10.—Police Chief R. E. O'Brien announced today that he had received a second threatening note since he staged a raid on the local headquarters of the K. K. K. last Wednesday, and arrested W. M. Corlier, leader and organizer on a charge of riotous conspiracy. The second threat said: "We'll get you." Attorneys for both sides said they are ready for the trial of Corlier in police court tomorrow.

Bailin Accused of Criminal Libel

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Completion of a deposition being taken here for presentation by defense at the trial of 22 alleged communist party members at St. Joseph, Mich., March 5, appeared probably today with the cross-examination of Allen O. Myers, assistant general manager of the W. J. Burns Detective Agency, questioning of whom was not concluded Saturday. Albert Bailin, alias Bulanow, confessed agent provocateur and a former operative for private detective agencies, who preceded Myers to the witness stand, today was under bond of \$5000, charged with criminal libel by Myers.

Proponents of Ship Bill Beaten

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Proponents of the administration shipping bill lost a strategic battle today, the senate voting 44 to 42 not to table a motion of Senator Ladd, republican, North Dakota, to lay aside the shipping legislation and take up the filled-milk bill.

Tomb in Worcester Cemetery Broken Into

WORCESTER, Feb. 10.—A tomb at Notre Dame cemetery where 25 bodies are placed for burial in the spring, was broken into some time between Saturday night and Monday morning. The casket containing the body of Mrs. Flora I. Nault was opened, but the body was apparently undisturbed and jewelry on the remains was untouched. The police are working on the theory that a relative seeking a final view of the corpse was responsible.

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DYING WOMAN'S APPEAL

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Postmaster Delisle today received a very pathetic letter from a Mrs. Mary Gray of 369 St. Paul street, Burlington, Vermont, requesting his assistance in locating her son, George, who she believes, is now residing in Lowell. The letter, written in a shaky hand, states that the mother is dying and wishes to see her son once more. She writes as follows:

Dear Mr. Postmaster: Do you know a man by the name of George A. Gray? He used to drive a team which I have now. He used to tell me that he was in Lowell. I don't know but he is there. I want to see him once more. Please send him to me and oblige.

MRS. MARY GRAY, 369 St. Paul Street, Burlington, Vermont.

The postmaster will appreciate any information leading to the whereabouts of the son.

REPORT OF BIRTHS

Jan. 7.—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ignar, 9 Cherry place, a daughter.
Jan. 26.—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Audrade, 158 Charles street, a son.
Jan. 29.—To Mr. and Mrs. Mansur W. Adams, 558 Pine street, a daughter.
Feb. 4.—To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Sullivan, 17 Swift street, a daughter.
Feb. 7.—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morin, 63 Barba street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Morrill Tremblay, 13 Fisher street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Plante, 106 Rock street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. John McHugh, 2 Hall's place, Cohasset street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Antonio G. Secella, 8 Clark's court, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. John Mullin, 56 Broadway, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. William Moehle, 809 Princeton street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Omer Robert, 21 Lilley avenue, a son.
Feb. 8.—To Mr. and Mrs. Jean Baptiste Hebert, 118 Salem street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Athanas Latendresse, 11 Joliette avenue, a daughter.
Feb. 9.—To Mr. and Mrs. James P. McKinn, 11 Brest street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan George Lapham, Chelmsford, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. John Collins, 22 Belle avenue, a daughter.
Feb. 10.—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Gaudreau, 260 West Sixth street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lawrence, 2 Regan's court, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Swaiden, rear 22 LeCompte street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. George Gendron, 18 Clifton street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Henriette, 518 Merrimack street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Guerin, 1000 Merrimack street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Xavier Corbin, 112 Martin street, a son.
Feb. 11.—To Mr. and Mrs. Auguste Levesque, 169 Cushing street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Manos, 150 Chelmsford street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Mackie, 15 Hampden street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Canning Chubb, 22 LeCompte street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Drake, 3 Prince street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Theriault, 629 Merrimack street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jussano, 95 Austin street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. David Joseph Allen, 18 Middlesex park, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Regan, 44 Butherford street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Raul Beaudoin, 408 Middlesex street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams, 1 Pleasant street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ayers, 232 Chelmsford street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Blazons, 39 Pleasant street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. George Varone, 30 Ward street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Russell, 191 Middlesex street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Philippe Thibault, 23 Pawtucket street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rose Daniel, 7 Clinton avenue, a daughter.
Feb. 12.—To Mr. and Mrs. John Gaudreau, 23 Front street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Alexandre Richard, 11 McInnes street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brady, 17 Lincoln street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Gendron, 455 Moody street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Burke, 53 Powell street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Theobald, 116 Adams street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Lav Joseph Dube, 93 Worthen street, a son.
Feb. 14.—To Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Maliszewski, 19 Spring street, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kozulinsky, 18 Grand street, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. West, 11 Cambridge street, a daughter.
Feb. 15.—To Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Techeira, 2 Montclair avenue, a daughter.

LOWELL MAN ARRESTED IN MONTREAL

Superintendent Thomas R. Atkinson of the police department today received a telegram from Inspector John J. Walsh from Montreal stating that he had placed under arrest Ernest J. Dupont, prominent Lowell clubman and fire insurance broker, who is charged with the larceny of \$4000 on the complaint of Joseph Cayouette of this city. Mr. Dupont is well known in Lowell as the treasurer of the Kanbeck Fire Extinguisher Club. On Monday evening, Feb. 6, he disappeared from his home in Moody street without giving any information as to his destination. It is alleged that when he left Lowell, he had in his possession \$4000, the proceeds of the sale of the Kanbeck Club. He was eventually traced to Montreal and Inspector Walsh went to that city armed with a warrant. He located his man yesterday and will, in all probability, bring him to Lowell.

WILL ADDRESS LOCAL ROTARIANS

Major Patrick F. O'Keefe of the O'Keefe Advertising agency, Boston, the man who originated the phrase, "Say It With Flowers," will address Lowell Rotarians tomorrow after the weekly dinner in Dutton street headquarters. His subject being "The Business Outlook for 1923." The Rotary club's birthday dinner will be held in Liberty hall, Monday evening, Feb. 25, at 5:30 o'clock. An unusually good program of entertainment is being prepared and there will be many "extra" features not billed. Lowell Rotarians are to visit Providence Sunday evening, March 11, when the New England organization of Rotary is to have its annual divisional round-up and business meeting. The Lowell members plan to leave this city Sunday afternoon and return to Lowell by Tuesday night following. The trip will be made in automobiles. If the roads are in condition, the members will be entertained at a "Round Table" Monday, and that evening there will be a banquet with a midwinter theatre party. Ray Havens, president of the International Rotary, will be the speaker.

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WARMER WEATHER IS ON THE WAY

The cold snap had its last fling last night, sending the mercury down to the zero margin, but breaking no more records. This morning the glasses registered 10 above at 8 a. m., and at noon the registration was over 20. The chill left the air during the morning hours, with the sun adding in warming things up. The experts predict warmer weather for the afternoon and evening and warmer also tomorrow, when it may be cloudy with moderate northwest winds shifting to southwest later in the day. Slowly rising temperatures were the rule all over New England and the entire eastern section of the country. Predictions are for fair weather and milder temperatures until at least Thursday.

City Solicitor Archambault Dead

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Feb. 10.—City Solicitor Adelard Archambault, at one time lieutenant governor of the state and for four years mayor, was found dead in his home today, a victim of heart trouble, in his 50th year. Mr. Archambault was born in Canada, an active democrat and prominent in St. Jean Baptiste and other Franco-American organizations.

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ATTENDANCE OFFICERS CALLED TO DOOR AND MURDERED

Chief Attendance Officer William F. Thornton of the Lowell public school department was an interested attendant at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Attendance Officers' association, held last Saturday at the American house in Boston. The appointment of officers to handle exclusively all departments which are classified under the head of "school attendance," and further efforts to effect a change of name, were among the principal topics of discussion.

The name favored to replace the present designation of the office is "Supervisors of Attendance," which was rejected in the house of representatives last Thursday.

Barclay J. Gurney of Chelsea told the delegates that in view of the fact that the attendance officer is becoming more and more a social worker, in addition to performing the duties of a police officer, the classification of "supervisor" should be adopted. His remarks were seconded by Nathan C. Upham of Fitchburg, who favored the creation of a school attendance department through which all other departments having to do with attendance should function.

The speaker declared that such a department would establish a better working basis for the visiting teacher, the school nurse and others whose duties bring them into direct contact with those of the attendance officers. A special committee covering the matters under discussion will make a report later to the state board of education.

After dinner at noon the attendance officers enjoyed a musical program furnished by a school orchestra and also listened to addresses by District Attorney Thomas C. O'Brien of Suffolk county, Commissioner of Education Payson Smith and William J. O'Brien of the Boston school committee.

CASES IN THE DISTRICT COURT

Nicholas Hanny, a resident of Boston and at present employed in construction work in Tewksbury, was found wandering about the main street of the town by a police authority yesterday, and was brought to Lowell and looked at the police station on a charge of drunkenness. In the district court this morning he admitted that he had been drinking moonshine and could not account for his actions. As he has a wife and three children living in Boston, Judge Wright ordered the case placed on file with the understanding that if defendant were brought in again, he would go to the house of correction.

Frank D. Jones pleaded guilty to drunkenness and because he is already under a suspended sentence, the case was continued until tomorrow morning pending further investigation. Bonds were fixed at \$200.

On a plea of guilty to illegal keeping, Mike Pickewicz was fined \$100. A complaint charging Joseph H. Dube with unlawful sale was continued until March 3.

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CLEVELAND, Feb. 10.—Carl Metla, 34, until recently a government prohibition agent, and who in his three years of federal service, had made himself thoroughly feared by local whiskey runners, was summoned to the door of his home at daylight this morning and shot to death. The assassin fired three shots, two through the head and one into the lung. Metla quit the federal service last October, rather than accept a transfer to Toledo, because his family lived here. Since that time Metla has been a deputy marshal in enforcement of prohibition for D. J. Zinner, mayor of Fairview village, a suburb, and police believe that the man who shot him was among those Metla had arrested recently in Zinner's service. The slayer escaped without leaving a clue.

PRESIDENT THAYER MAKES STATEMENT

President Thayer of the American Telephone & Telegraph company has given out the following statement in response to questions relative to the hearing at the state house on Thursday of last week with respect to the proposed law to tax the dividends of the American Telephone & Telegraph company on stock owned in Massachusetts:

"The present law is considered to be unconstitutional. When the tax under it became disproportionate in amount, excessive and intolerable, the company had no alternative but to protest. It. Telephone stock has always been exempt in Massachusetts. The exemption existed long prior to 1915 when the income tax law was passed. The income tax law declared the state's general policy was not to tax the income from securities exempt under then existing law. It was pursuant to this policy on the part of the state, and not pursuant to any agreement between the state and the company, that these dividends were exempted. We know of no agreement affecting the matter of exemption nor have we been able to ascertain that any such agreement was ever considered."

The proposed law which was discussed at the hearing is in three sections. The first refers to the taxation of the company; the second and third, to taxation of Massachusetts stockholders. The vice president of the company appeared at the first meeting and stated the company's position as to the first section dealing with the taxation of the company and protested against the taxation of Massachusetts stockholders. The company called attention to the second hearing. The company inserted advertisements in the Massachusetts papers calling attention to the second hearing, in order that the stockholders might know that legislation affecting their direct as well as their indirect interests had been proposed and might, if they desired, take the opportunity to state their views at the hearing."

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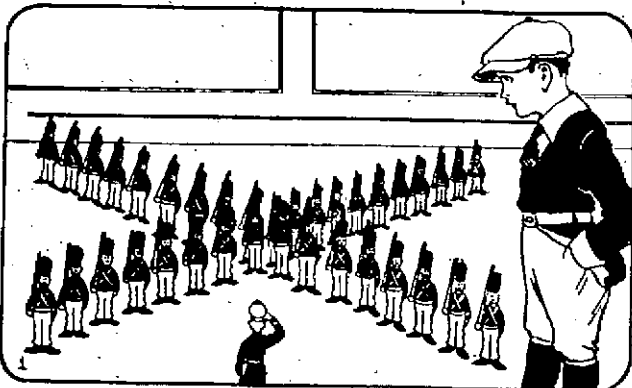
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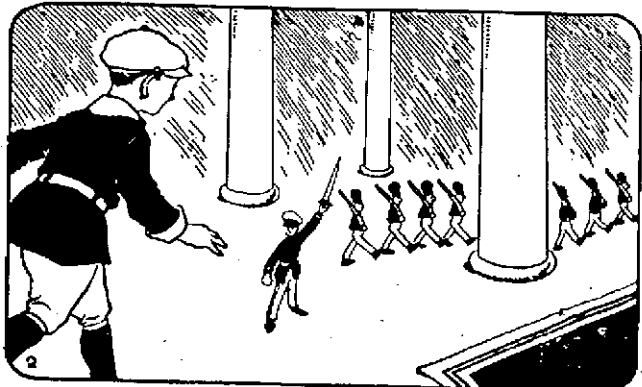
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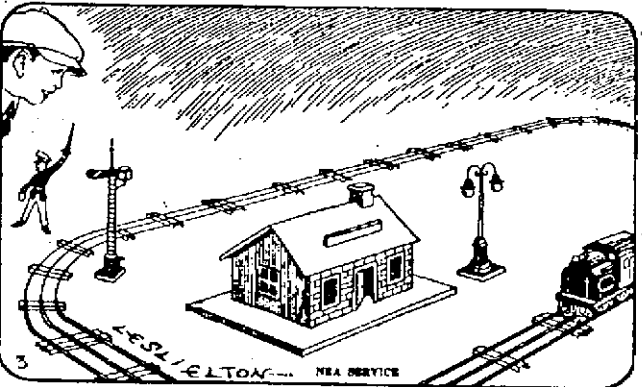
Jack Daw in Toyland. Chapter 16



After every soldier had left the showcase for the captain asked Jack if he would like to see some drilling. "I'd like it very much," replied Jack, and the captain started giving commands. The little wooden soldiers marched in perfect time and formed all sorts of fancy drill formations.



Finally they filed into single line and started across the toy department store. "Where are you going now?" asked Jack. "We are bound for the railroad yards to act as escort to the Queen Doll," replied the captain. "And who is the Queen Doll?" asked Jack, as he followed the soldiers.



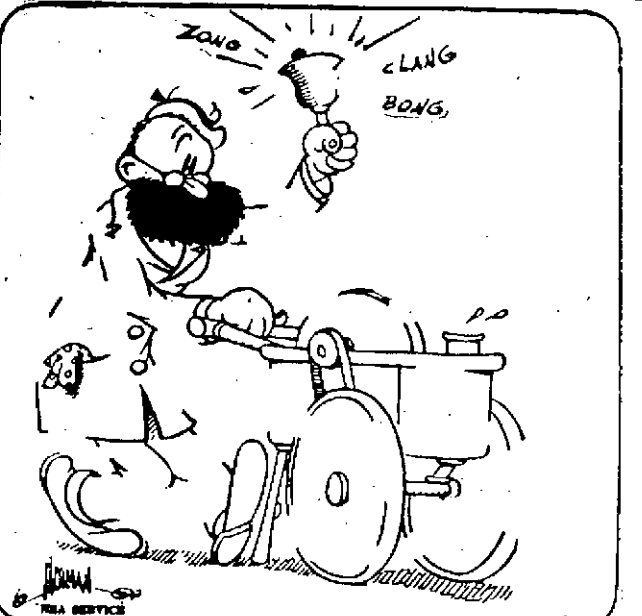
"Why she is to be the judge at the baby doll show," replied the captain. "She's coming on the electric train, and we will escort her to the baby show. You had better come along with us," Jack was glad of the opportunity of meeting the queen and they all soon reached the little electric station. (Continued.)

DRAWFUNNIES

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Verses by Hal Cochran

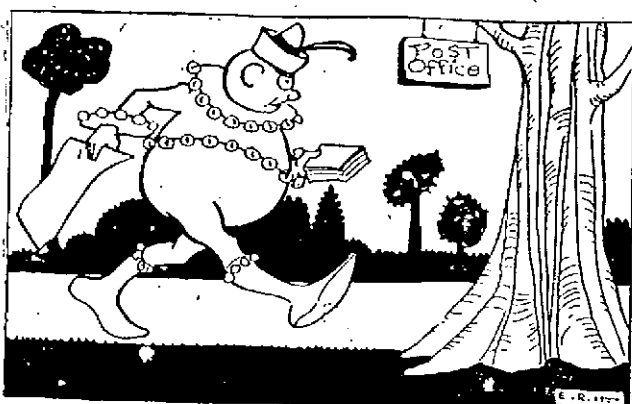
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The scissors grinder is the man
Whom every housewife cheers.
He comes around and for a dime
He'll sharpen up your shears.

Adventures of The Twins

TINGALING'S VALENTINE



JUST THEN THEY SAW THE FAT FAIRY LANDLORD RETURNING TOWARD THE LITTLE POSTOFFICE AS FAST AS HIS SHORT LEGS WOULD CARRY HIM.

"Hi lee, hi lee, hi lee hi lee, hi—!" Suddenly the voice stopped singing and there was silence.

Nancy and Nick and Mr. Stamp, the fairy postman, peeped out of the hickory tree postoffice curiously to see what happened. "Why, Mr. Tingaling was happy as a circus clown a minute ago when he was here for his mail!" said Nick.

"And he got enough valentines to keep him happy for a month, I should think," declared Nancy.

Mr. Stamp winked one eye. "Meh-he!" he remarked wisely. "And maybe not. It depends on the valentines."

Just then they saw the fat fairy landlord returning toward the little postoffice as fast as his short legs would carry him. But his face was as long as—oh, about as long as a geography lesson, and he looked as gloomy as a London fog, and his little ice cream suicer of a hat, always crooked, was crooked in it had ever been before.

"Say," he said. "Just listen to this valentine, will you? I'm so mad I believe I'm going to burst!"

And indeed he looked like it.

"Here's what it says," And Mr. Tingaling began:

"Tinkle bell, tinkle bell, tinkle all the day.
When we hear the doorbell ring
Then we run away—ay.
Mr. Tingaling, fat old Tingaling
Coming for his rent.
His always comes a week too soon,
When we haven't got a cent."

"Tinkle bell, tinkle bell, tinkle all the night.
The fairy landlord is so fat
He is a wondrous sight.
His roof all leak, his floors all creak.
He won't fix up a thing.
Oh, the landlord of the deep dark woods,
Is Mr. T. Tingaling—Ing."

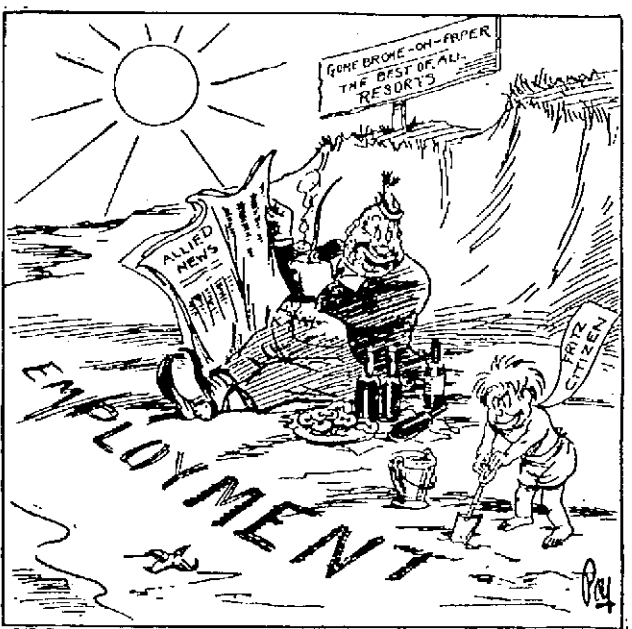
"Why, I'm perfectly insulted," cried Tingaling.

"On, no!" laughed Nancy. "They all love you and you know it, Mr. Tingaling. They're only teasing you. Can't you take a joke?"

(To Be Continued)

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Men Who Make Britain Laugh—Poy



"Somewhere The Sun Is Shining," "Poy" labeled this cartoon, and he quotes "Father Hana," as saying: "That's right, Fritz, you dig in der lovely sand while I read der paper to see which of der allies is going to pay my debts!" "Poy" adds, parenthetically, "Though skies are overcast at home it may be comforting to know it is not so everywhere."

BY MILTON BRONNER

LONDON, Feb. 19.—Every day thousands of readers of the Evening News turn first to see what "Poy" has to say and draw about events.

"Poy" got subjects are bumptious officials, and latterly the Germans who, as he sees it, are trying to dodge reparations payments to France. In his pro-French work "Poy" had the late Lord Northcliffe's hearty support, and now he has it from the latter's brother, Lord Rothermere, who owns the Evening News, among many other papers.

"Poy" was born in 1874 in Shanghai, but that's the only Chinese thing about him. His father and mother were English and proud of it. All the same, "Poy" himself might almost be claimed as an American. His parents took him to New York at an early age and he grew up there.

He began his studies in the New York Art Students League studio, among such classmates as the since famous F. C. Yohn, F. Luis Mora why, and James Montgomery Flagg. He tograph.

studied also under the celebrated William M. Chase, at the Chase School of Art.

It was also in New York that he got his nickname. In private life he's known as Percy H. Bronner, but the New Yorkers called him "Poycey," which his classmates shortened to "Poyce" and then to "Poy," and it stuck, or he to it, as may be, more than 20 years ago "Poy" journeyed to England and studied for a time under the renowned painter, Sir Hubert Herkomer, at Bushy.

His first cartoons appeared in "Judy," then a rival of "Punch," but now long defunct.

In 1905 he went to Manchester and did cartoons for the Evening Chronicle and Daily Dispatch.

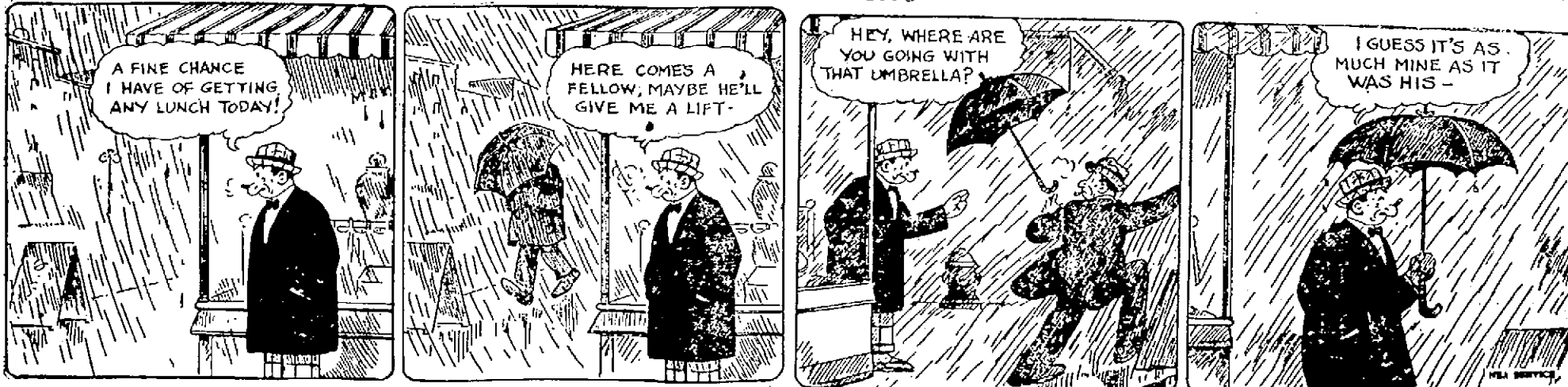
In 1912 he joined the Northcliffe forces, his work appearing in the Evening News, Daily Mail and Weekly Dispatch.

For 15 years he has turned out a cartoon a day, including Sundays.

"Poy" isn't married. "When you among such classmates as the since famous F. C. Yohn, F. Luis Mora why," he said, handing over his photograph.

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DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



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HERE COMES A
FELLOW, MAYBE HE'LL
GIVE ME A LIFT.

HEY, WHERE ARE
YOU GOING WITH
THAT UMBRELLA?

I GUESS IT'S AS
MUCH MINE AS IT
WAS HIS—

Announcements

LOST AND FOUND

CAMEO RING in little box lost Saturday evening somewhere between John St. and Merrimack St., and Central St. Finder please return to 1 Farham Street.

BROWN LEATHER POCKETBOOK lost on Merrimack St., Saturday near Gallagher's candy store, contained sum of money and R. H. tickets. Reward. Mrs. Sage, Box 325, M. S. L. Towkbury.

SUM OF MONEY lost on NeSmith St. Saturday morning. Reward if returned to Sun Office.

SHEPHERD DOG lost, yellow and white. Answers to name of Huddy. Return 52 Lyon St.

LONG BLACK POCKETBOOK and prayer book containing sum of money and keys. Name of owner on receipt. Finder Tel. 3919-J. Reward.

POCKETBOOK containing large sum of money lost between Barry's Market and Merrimack St. Finder kindly leave at Barry's Market. Reward.

POCKETBOOK lost Monday forenoon near 20th Century Shoe at Merrimack St. with owner's name. Reward. Tel. 7487-M.

BLACK AND TAN PUG DOG lost. The finder please return to 103 Cushing St.

TOYOLISE SHIELD GLASSES lost Monday on train between Lowell and Brookside. Tel. 5183-M. Reward.

510 HILL lost Friday noon between Hill-droth Bldg., Fairburn's or on Billerica Center car. Tel. 1429-R. 5 Kinsman St.

Legal Notices

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Athus Solomonides, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant letters of administration on the estate of said deceased to Elene Solomonides of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond, and you are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventh day of March, A. D. 1923, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, the last publication to be on day, at least, before said Court.

Witness George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three. F. M. ESTY, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Pitt F. Holden, late of Billerica, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, S. Annah Holden and Frank H. Holden, administrators of the estate of said deceased have presented to said Court a petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the order named in said petition, or bona fide estate of said deceased, for the purpose of distribution.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fifth day of March, A. D. 1923, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested, who can be found within the Commonwealth, fourteen days, at least, before said Court, and if any one can not be so found, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, the last publication to be on day, at least, before said Court.

Witness George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three. F. M. ESTY, Register.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Robert L. P. Mason, late of Plattsburg, in the State of New York, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and appointing William T. Sheppard of Lowell, Massachusetts, his agent, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.

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STORAGE ROOMS for furniture and pianos, \$1.50 and \$2 per month, also furniture and piano moving. O. F. Frensch, 350 Bridge St. Tel. 126.

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Employment

HELP WANTED—FEMALE 30
TWO YOUNG LADIES who play saxophone and violin wanted to join ladies' orchestra. Further particulars, Tel. 1495-W.

GIRL wanted for light office work and sewing, one who can speak French. Apply 81 Moody St.

WIRE TWISTERS and roll winders wanted, can also employ day and late applicants. Must be over 20 years of age. Smith & Dove Mfg. Co., Andover, Mass.

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Experienced loom-fixer on Crompton & Knowles Magazine looms, Beaver Brook Mills, Col-linsville.

DISTRICT MANAGER wanted to represent a national organization in and around the vicinity of Lowell, capable of selling, promoting, organizing, and managing meat markets, restaurants, hotels, ice cream manufacturers, etc. Engineering knowledge helpful but not essential. Must be willing to go out and produce will find results remunerative. Address replies to room 811, 7 Water St., Boston.

FIREMEN AND BLACKSMITHS beginners \$150-\$250 monthly (which position?) Write Railway, T-1, Sun Office.

REGISTERED DRUGGIST wanted, one who can speak French and English preferred. References required. Address 1-13, Sun Office.

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RAZORS HONED—A man who has honed razors for a good part of 10 years should know something about it. That's why our expert gives satisfaction always. He does the same quality work on safety razor blades also. Howard, 157 Central St.

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APARTMENTS—TENEMENTS 34
5-ROOM TENEMENT and bath to let. Apply 50 Albion St.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Arthur H. Marshall, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Cora V. Marshall, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of February, A. D. 1923, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, the last publication to be on day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three. F. M. ESTY, Register.

Notice is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Robert L. P. Mason, late of Plattsburg, in the State of New York, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and appointing William T. Sheppard of Lowell, Massachusetts, his agent, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.

JOHN W. GIBBARD, Adm.
Address of Agent,
811 Sun Building, Lowell, Mass.
February 5, 1923.

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THE SUN IS ON
SALE AT THE NORTH
STATION, BOSTON

ORPHANAGE ASSOCIATION MANY SCHOOL TEACHERS ON THE SICK LIST

Councilor Hennessey Elected.
President of St. Peter's
Orphanage Association

At an interesting meeting of St. Peter's Orphanage Association, held yesterday afternoon in St. Margaret's rectory, Councilor James F. Hennessey was unanimously elected president of the association to succeed the late John J. Dwyer. The choice is regarded as an ideal one as Mr. Hennessey has long



JAMES F. HENNESSEY
President

been an ardent worker in everything connected with the orphanage. In the absence of Charles W. Holmes, who is in Florida, Mr. William F. Daly acted as secretary.

A committee consisting of William A. Hogan, City Treasurer, Fred H. Rourke and John V. Donoghue was appointed to draw up resolutions on the death of the late president, John J. Dwyer. Interesting remarks, appertaining to the furtherance of the work of the association were made by Rev. Charles J. Gallagher, Fred H. Rourke, John Barrett, John J. Condon, William A. Hogan and Hon. James H. Casey. The association adjourned to meet next Tuesday afternoon when it is felt a definite program of activities will be determined upon.

Early Morning Fire in Middlesex Street

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who rented the quarters following the departure of Peter A. Piradelli, who conducted consignment business there. The grocery store proprietor, suffered extensive water damage in cellar and rear of the first floor, where fire and smoke broke through quick-burning wooden partitions and considerably damaged the store-rear.

In the Smith typewriter shop, where a bookstore and stationery supply business is also conducted, flames entered the rear of the quarters and much smoke also, destroyed many valuable typewriting supplies, typewriters, ancient books of much value, stationery and other goods. Mr. Smith placed his losses at several hundred dollars.

Some of the insurance on the properties damaged by the morning fire is carried by Henry Miller & Son, and also Graham H. Whidden. It was said by owners of the stores suffering from the morning fire.

The fire was discovered about 4 o'clock by a pedestrian, and diners in a restaurant across the street from the Delaney store also saw smoke and flames creeping from the store-door and windows. An alarm was rung from box 215, and the firemen, arriving promptly, found the interior of the dry goods store a mass of flames.

The firemen believe the fire originated in the basement of the building. There were no furnaces or stoves there. It was learned that the Delaney store had a large hole in the flat roof of the burning structure and poured tons of water down through, helping to quench the flames from that point. The rear of the store backs up closely to a brick storage warehouse and the fire made no headway in that quarter.

From the Delaney store the flames

Sickness has depleted the city's force of school teachers to an extent almost equal to that of the days of the influenza epidemic in 1918, when the schools were closed, and the school department has now found it necessary to call in girls from the senior class of the Normal school and married women who were, prior to their marriage, school teachers, to take the places of those now on the sick list. This is an extreme step and cannot be taken until the available regular substitutes are all employed.

Every year, during the months of January and February, there is considerable sickness among the teachers, but, as stated before, the condition this year is abnormal, and it seems that the colds this year, with their accompanying sore throats, are epidemic throughout this part of the country. The severe winter combined with a lack of fuel to heat the houses, is undoubtedly to blame for this condition.

Sickness among the school children is also abnormally high and class attendances in several of the schools have fallen off. Whooping cough, measles and diphtheria are the prevailing ailments among the children in addition to the colds.

ate quickly through "open walls" and up through skylights also lined with pine wood, and fed rapidly on the material. In fact the fire was of the tin-drum kind from beginning to end, the firemen say, and only the hard kind of work prevented the entire block of stores in that "line" from being swept by the blaze.

The mushrooming of the fire from the Delaney furnace of flames resulted in the Delaney stores catching fire several times and badly burning the rear of the grocery store adjoining. A large amount of stock was destroyed here, and the basement filled with several feet of water, damaging and destroying groceries stored there.

An attempt to locate Mr. Delaney, proprietor of the dry goods store destroyed, resulted in information obtained at his home across the street at No. 308, that he had gone to New York City. His wife, Mrs. Mary Delaney, mourning her son's loss severely, told The Sun that Mr. Delaney had been in the habit of going to New York on the "night train" very often on Saturday nights. He frequently went away and remained four or five days at a time, she said.

Miss Mary Brennan, a young lady clerk employed in the Delaney store for some years, told The Sun that she and Mr. Delaney were in the dry goods store, closing up accounts of sales and bookkeeping records for the week, as late as 10:45 o'clock, Saturday night, when the fire broke out. She said she started for home about that time, she said, as Mr. Delaney said she did not have to remain any longer. Mr. Delaney told her he was going to New York on the midnight train, and to look after things this week until he returned.

Miss Brennan said there was no money safe in the store, but Mr. Delaney had a custom of keeping most of his money in a tin box built in an iron receptacle down in the cellar of the store. She said she sometimes took money from this little "bank." This morning, going to the store and carefully picking her way down the basement stairs of the burning store, she found the tin box and finally found it. Inside a small tin box were several rolls of silver coins and several dollar bills. She had not time to take the money, which was counted and showed a total of a little more than \$25. The money was taken to the Delaney home at 14 Middlesex street, and is now in the possession of the dry goods man's aged mother.

The family got in touch with Mr. Delaney in New York by telephone this morning, notifying him of the fire. He is expected to return to Lowell tonight.

The Delaney store carried many lines of popular-priced dry goods, featuring wearing apparel and underwear for women and children. There was also a jewelry department where materials of medium price and values were dealt in extensively. The windows were always well featured by the display of Mr. Delaney, who has been in business on Middlesex in Lowell for many years, had many regular customers.

Mrs. Mary Delaney, the mother, said this morning that her son started in business about 25 years ago in another Middlesex street location, and later here in the burning store, and women's wear business, and had been at his present location for a dozen years.



LOCAL COAL SHIPMENTS PLAN ANNUAL BANQUET STEADILY INCREASING

Nearly 3,000 tons of anthracite coal arrived in Lowell for local distribution last week via the Boston & Maine and N. Y. N. H. & H. railroad, according to official checking records tabulated and given to The Sun this morning.

Shipments of anthracite coal to Lowell via the Boston & Maine railroad from the Mechanicville, N. Y., transfers, are steadily increasing. The official figures covering total car-load shipments of anthracite, compiled by Boston & Maine Freight Agent Frank M. Morgan, show arrivals of loaded cars for the past week over the B. & M. as follows:

From Monday morning, February 12, to Friday night, February 16—42 cars, each containing about 40 tons of anthracite.

Several cars of anthracite coal also came in last week, also via the N. Y. N. H. & H. lines via Framingham, and were sent to the Lowell terminal company.

ATTACHMENTS FILED

The following attachments were filed at the registry of deeds office since the last were published: Robert H. Gordon, Boston, vs. Aristidean Chakravala, Lowell, action of contract, \$3000; David Bruce vs. Charles W. Morse, action of tort, \$3000.

Rhode Island Governor Will Address American-Irish Historical Society

The American-Irish Historical society held its regular meeting at Memorial hall yesterday afternoon with President Dr. M. A. Tighe presiding.

Discussion of plans for the annual banquet, which is to be held in Memorial hall on March 15 were discussed and Joseph E. Carroll, chairman of the committee, reported that Governor William A. Flynn of Rhode Island had promised to attend the banquet and be the speaker of the evening. The committee is also endeavoring to get Senator David I. Walsh to attend.

Governor Flynn has had a wonderful career since entering politics. Six times leader of the minority in the Rhode Island legislature, he overcame a republican plurality of 34,000 in the recent gubernatorial election and won by 7000, the first denouement to become governor in twenty years. In his inaugural address he created quite a sensation when he spoke in favor of the 48 hour law and equal suffrage for non-landowners and landowners. His administration has been before the public recently because of his attempts to drive boot-loggers out of the state, and to clean up other law-breaking elements throughout the state. He is reputed to be a great orator.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HOLD MEETING

The county commissioners held their regular monthly meeting at the Garham street courthouse this morning at 10 o'clock. Routine business was transacted and inasmuch as there were no hearings scheduled a part of the forenoon was taken up with a general discussion of county affairs, the topic of which was the coal situation.

In the course of the discussion it was brought out that the converting of the coal heating plant at the county buildings in East Cambridge into an electric heating plant has proven a big success. The system was changed over last fall at a cost of \$3000 and it is figured that a saving of between \$15,000 and \$18,000 will be made on the fuel bill. The plant, which is located in the rear of the house of correction, superintending the courthouse and the probate court building.

Commissioner Harlow stated that the burning of oil for fuel at East Cambridge has proven so successful that it may be but a short time before the Middlesex County Training school at North Chatham will be changed over from coal to oil burning.

and his presence at the society's banquet will assure its success.

A resolution expressing sympathy at the death of Rev. Francis J. Sullivan, a charter member of the organization, was read and adopted. A resolution expressing sympathy for his recent accident was voted George O'Meara.

The reading of a paper on "The Irish in Lowell Prior to 1722," by Miss Frances Masterson, was postponed until the first meeting after the banquet.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Myles E. Gallagher and Miss Beattie B. Brundin were married Saturday in St. Anne's chapel, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Appleton Cavanagh. Miss Edna M. Brooks, a sister of the bride, was Mr. John Brooks. The couple will make their home at 15 Coal street.

The marriage of Mr. George Lincoln Smiley of this city and Miss Elsie Francis Jenkinson of Springfield, took place Feb. 16 at West Swanwick, the ceremony being performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Richardson, cousins of the groom. The couple will make their home in this city.

BOXING ON BATTLESHIP

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Professional boxing contests aboard the U.S.S. Commodore here will be abandoned and exhibitions between service men will be substituted. Captain E. A. Rivers, United States naval reserve, announced in a statement today upon his return from Washington. He called there for a conference with naval department officials regarding complaints against professional bouts aboard the ship made by Arthur Burrill, Lowell, president of the Chicago Law & Order league.

OBSERVED ANNIVERSARY OF COPERNICUS

Lowell Polish-speaking citizens yesterday observed the 450th anniversary of the birth of Copernicus, famous astronomer, with elaborate exercises conducted in Polish hall on Coburn street, beginning at 2 p. m.

Mr. Joseph Lennia, Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent of Lowell public schools, and Dr. J. J. Dziura, Dr. Dziura, who was principal speaker, gave a lengthy address covering the life of Copernicus from the cradle to the grave. He said history records that the man who was later to become a world-famous astronomer, was a brilliant pupil in his school days and had excellent tutors who aided him. During his clerical career Copernicus was administrator of the diocese of Warmia. Oppressed peoples always had a warm champion in Copernicus, the speaker said.

In other fields of progress the astronomer was always active and highly useful. He figured largely in fields of economics. He was author of many works on civility, education and allied subjects, and number of which have been reprinted and are read today.

In his astronomical calculations, the speaker said, Copernicus lacked the assistance of instruments so common today, yet he succeeded in presenting accurate data to come with actual facts on heavenly conditions covering the movement of other worlds, the study of the sun and moon and other discoveries that opened up a new field of work in astronomy the world over.

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WOMEN'S PARTY MENACE

Edward J. Joyce Tells of Specific Aim of National Women's Party

"The National Women's Party is one of the greatest menaces that confronts America today," declared Edward J. Joyce in an address before the League of Catholic Women of Lowell at their February meeting in Associates' hall yesterday afternoon.

The speaker's subject, "The Real Objectives of the National Women's Party," was a timely one indeed, and he dealt with it with a painstaking thoroughness, his persuasive, vigorous and straightforward denunciation of the new political proposition being of an especially enlightening nature.

Mr. Joyce was introduced by Mrs. John J. Donohue, president of the League, and after explaining that "Forerunner is Forerunner," he said, in part: "The National Women's Party was formed as a temporary party in 1912 to further the woman suffrage amendment. In 1921, the body assumed a more permanent form and elected Mrs. Oliver Belmont of New York, president. Its purposes are several, but to get down to its real, specific aim, it sought to have passed in congress, the so-called 'blanket' amendment, or the equalization of women's rights with those of men."

The speaker here introduced an extract from a recent article by Mrs. Belmont, entitled, "Women as Dictators," which she stated that the woman have interfered with the development, interests and intelligence of the human race, and that women should be allowed to become ministers of the gospel and retain their maiden name after marriage.

One (thinking) he said: "One's point of view doesn't matter in dealing with this new party. We should deal with it in fact and principle and in principle it is one of the greatest menaces that confronts America today. It violates the natural law, yet members of the National Women's party, prospective women so-called, would wipe out every known statute to attain their end, even to the violation of the divine law. Go back to the Catholic encyclopedia and you will find that the family implies a definite equality of man and woman, husband and wife, as determined by their different natures. But the equality sought, for by the National Women's Party is different from this. It has a tendency to centralize all the powers from the state and concentrating them in Washington. Laws could then be enacted allowing woman to work as many hours as she wished, and probably causing premature death by so doing. Finally, the Women's party is aiming to do what the most radical Reil has been unable to do—to destroy the family, the basic unit of the nation. If we are ready to die for America isn't it about time we were ready to die for America?"

A slight wrangle was accorded the speaker at the conclusion of his address. It was announced by Rev. Jos. A. Curtin, spiritual director of the league, that tomorrow has been designated as "Donation Day" and the members are requested to send in their contributions of old clothing to the office of the Catholic Charities Centre in Associate building.

Previous to the presentation of the speaker, Mrs. Theresa Mahoney Donovan of Andover sang two delightful songs. A musical treat was also offered by Mrs. Florence Crawford, violin; Bernice Russell, cello, and Bernice M. Moulton, piano.

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Miss Eleanor Churchill of the city auditor's office is confined at her home on account of illness. The alarm from box 8 at 11:27 p.m. Feb. 18, his room was for a slight roof fire in Conlan's court off Fayett street.

The Lowell Social Service league, 305-307 Fairburn bldg. will be glad to receive contributions of money, clothing, or household furnishings for the families whose homes were destroyed by the Fletcher street fire on Saturday morning.

Alton Packard, cartoonist and humorist, will speak at the Memorial Auditorium Wednesday evening under the auspices of the People's club. His address subject will be "Success and How to Boogie It." The entertainment will be open to the public without charge.

Captain Crowell, of Company M, 181st Infantry, returning to New York to attend the reunion and dinner of the old officers of the 77th division and the officers of the 77th division, organized reserves, at the Hotel Astor, February 27. Capt. Crowell served as a second lieutenant in the old 77th during the war.

portation will be taken up with officers of the Boston & Maine railroad. A high limit ticket has been appropriated, \$3000 to purchase fuel, definite action depends somewhat upon weather conditions.

Council President James J. Gallagher said today if moderate weather sets in, he does not see the necessity of such drastic action, for this sort of weather automatically would release many coal cars now held up in transit because of severe snow conditions and fuel would begin to roll into this section of New England.

The next move in the proposition to have the city purchase coal and sell it distribute it at cost to families in need of fuel, will be to ascertain from the independent dealers whether coal in large lots can be bought by the city. Inquiry will be made, at the headquarters of the independent dealers at Tremont st. and if, favorable action is received the matter of trans-

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Ultimatum to German Customs Officials

DUSSELDORF, Feb. 19.—(By the Associated Press)—A new order issued by the Inter-Ally high commission in the Rhineland gives German customs officials in that territory until tomorrow to decide whether they will accept an offer of re-engagement by the French, or be dismissed.

Associate Justice Sanford Takes Oath

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Associate Justice Edward T. Sanford of Tennessee, took the judicial oath upon the reconvening of the supreme court today after a three weeks' recess. Chief Justice Taft administered the oath immediately after the court met.

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